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GERMAN AIRSHIPS RAID SIX TOWNS

FLY OVER ENGLAND DROPPING BOMBS AND KILLING FIVE

London, Jan. 20---German airmen delivered their long predicted attack on England last night. From a base presumably in Germany they flew over the North Sea to the eastern coast of England where, for nearly four hours, from 8:20 p. m. until about midnight, they circled over a group of some six English towns only a little more than 100 miles from London, apparently dropping bombs at will.

So far as has been learned today four or five persons were killed by these missiles and about as many more were wounded.

Among those killed is one soldier. The property damage will not exceed a few thousand dollars. A shoemaker and a woman were killed at Yarmouth and a civilian and a soldier lost their lives at King's Lynn.

The police reports from the towns upon which bombs were thrown say that the public responded very well to the raid instructions recently made public. For the most part the people took refuge in

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URGES THAT STATE MILITIAMEN BE PUT ON THE U. S. PAYROLL

Captain C. B. Blethen.

Captain C. B. Blethen, of Seattle, representing the adjutant general of the Washington state national guard at the militia conference at Washington, D. C., wants the state militiamen put on the government payroll and will help Senator Chamberlain in his efforts to get this done. He contends that many good men are kept out of the service because they cannot spend the money necessary under the present arrangement. Captain Blethen is the managing editor of the Seattle Times and is one of the militia officers who will take a course in gunnery and sea coast engineering at Fortress Monroe, Va., beginning next May.

'FRANCIS' SAYRE IS NAME CHOSEN

Washington, Jan. 20.—Francis will be the name of President Wilson's grandson, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis B. Sayre, who was born at the White House, Sunday. The announcement was made today by Mr. Sayre.

Some of the family wanted to call the baby Woodrow Wilson Sayre or Woodrow Sayre, but the president thought the child should have an individuality of his own. No date has been set for the christening, but it probably will be held in the White House. President Wilson probably will be the godfather.

Both Mrs. Sayre and the baby continue to progress favorably today.

PLAN TO MEET SHIPPING BILL FILIBUSTER

Washington, Jan. 20.—Administration Democrats in the senate plan to meet the Republican filibuster on the shipping bill by keeping the measure before the senate continually to the exclusion of appropriation bills and if necessary without recess, even for meals.

Democrats of the commerce commission today considered amendments submitted by the caucus Monday night. Another caucus will consider them tonight.

Senator Burton renewed his speech against the bill on the floor. It was the third continuous day of his address.

OFFICE SEEKERS AT COLUMBUS

Columbus, Jan. 20.—Among the callers on Governor Willis today were Paul Mack, of Cincinnati; Matt Glaser, also of Cincinnati, who is said to want a job as publicity agent for the Ohio exhibit at the Panama Pacific exposition; Edward M. Pullington, of Columbus, a candidate for appointment as member of the State Public Utilities commission; J. B. Rubt, of Cleveland; Charles O. Ines, of Mount Vernon, and James M. Light, of South Charleston, candidates for appointment as state printer.

CONFESSES FORGERIES OF $100,000; KILLS HIMSELF

CHILD WITHOUT A COUNTRY

Princess Marie Jose.

Princess Marie Jose, the youthful and pretty daughter of the fighting King of Belgium, is at present with her two brothers in England. Their mother is with the king and has been constantly devoting herself to the care of the wounded and the relief of the homeless.

WAREHOUSE RECEIPTS OF MAYSVILLE FIRM USED AS COLLATERAL

Louisville, Ky., Jan. 20---Warehouse receipts for $55,000, purporting to have been issued by the government to R. E. Wathen and Company, Louisville distillers, were produced here today by a representative of a Chicago bank and branded by Mr. Wathen as forgeries. In a statement today Mr. Wathen indicated that the alleged forgeries may total more than $100,000.

The receipts, according to Mr. Wathen's information were posted with Chicago banks as collateral for loans negotiated largely by brokers whose principal is said to have been Charles Ledowsky, of Chicago, president of the Fox River Distilling Company. Recent attempts to secure further loans on warehouse liquor receipts moved the Chicago bankers to verify the genuineness of the collateral. Yesterday a representative of one of the Chicago banks arrived in Louisville with warehouse receipts on which loans had been made. They were presented to local distillers in whose names they had been issued, and a number of them pronounced forgeries.

Ends Life On Train; Had Notified Undertaker

Chicago, Jan. 20—Charles Ledowsky, president of the Fox River Distilling Company, of Chicago, whose name has been mentioned in connection with the alleged forged warehouse receipts

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MORAL REFORMS CONSIDERED IN BILLS TO GO BEFORE ASSEMBLY

Columbus, Jan. 20.—Owners of property leased to resort keepers may be enjoined by civil action and bonded heavily against future lease of their property for immoral purposes, according to provisions of a bill which was being prepared today for early introduction in the house, together with another bill to authorize a new survey of the state.

Agents for moral reform organizations were busy soliciting support for the proposed measures among legislators today. They announced also that a measure would be presented to create a commission similar to those who conducted surveys of industrial conditions in Wisconsin, Illinois and Michigan.

A number of bills in addition to those introduced in the house yesterday, were ready for presentation today. Representative Ricard, of Fulton, expected to introduce a resolution calling for an investigation of the banking de-

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C. & O. MAN TELLS PRESIDENT CONDITIONS ARE IMPROVING

Washington, Jan. 20.—Business and railroad conditions in the United States were pictured today to President Wilson as slowly improving, by Frank Trumbull, of New York, chairman of the railroad legislative advisory committee, and chairman of the boards of the Chesapeake and Ohio and the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railroads. Mr. Trumbull said he did not expect a great business boom but that gradual betterment of conditions was noticeable throughout the country.

BURTON PROVES LONG WINDED

Washington, Jan. 20.—While Senator Burton was speaking the $34,000,000 rivers harbors appropriation bill entered the senate from the house and it was referred to the commerce committee.

At lunch time Senator Burton gave no evidence of resting. He consulted a moment with Senator Smoot and a few minutes later the Utah senator placed a glass containing a raw egg on Senator Burton's desk. While Senator Sutherland was asking a question, Senator Burton drank the egg and a second one, and went on with his speech.

LABOR MEN GUILTY OF CONSPIRACY CHARGE

Fort Smith, Ark., Jan. 20.—Seven defendants in the Prairie Creek Coal mine conspiracy case pleaded guilty when they appeared for trial in the federal court here today. Among them were Peter R. Stewart, of McAlester, former president of the United Mine Workers of America, district No. 21, and Fred W. Solt, of McAlester, former secretary of the district union.

The others were James H. McNamara, former member of the city council of Hartford, Ark., James Stankard, a former constable of Hartford township, and Clint Burris, Sandy Robinson and John Manick, miners. All of the men were charged with conspiracy against the government. They will be sentenced this afternoon.

DELAWARE GOES WET

Delaware, O., Jan. 20—Delaware, the seat of the Ohio Wesleyan university, was voted wet by a majority of 53 in a local option election yesterday.

OBREGON READY TO OCCUPY VERA CRUZ

Washington, Jan. 20.—The Carranza agency here today issued the following statement:

"Vera Cruz reports that General Obregon with a large force is within a short distance of the capital and is expected to occupy the place almost immediately."

Mexican Gunboat Disabled

On Board U. S. S. San Diego, La Paz, Mexico, Jan. 20.—(Via wireless to San Diego, Calif.)—The Mexican gunboat Guerrero which had caused considerable anxiety to American shipping recently is disabled at Salina Cruz.

The office of the military paymaster at Mazatlan has been looted for the second time, but the amount stolen has not been ascertained. The city of La Paz is quiet.

INTENSE SUFFERING IN EARTHQUAKE ZONE

Avezzano (via Rome) Jan. 20—The sufferings of the surviving victims in the earthquake district around Avezzano, particularly to the southeast of that place have been greatly aggravated by a sudden change in the weather, bitter cold and a heavy snowfall having succeeded the brightness and dryness of the previous days.

The snow, which began to fall early Tuesday afternoon, penetrated into the hastily constructed wooden huts which shelter all too few of the many thousands of homeless, and added greatly to the discomfort that prevailed. Hundreds are compelled to spend the night in the open air. Fortunately the relief work appears to be well organized and more abundant so that practically all of the larger places that have been devastated are receiving attention.

Living Persons Still Being Dug Out From Ruins

Living persons are still being dug out of the ruins and it seems surprising that more vigorous efforts are not being made to extricate scores of others who are enduring the horrors of a lingering death.

Between Pescina, San Benedetto and Gioja-De-Marsi great cracks and depressions are visible in the roads and fields, probably due to the rich alluvial soil of that region which has made Gioja the wealthiest town in the district. This condition is also responsible for the fact that Gioja suffered more severely than any other place destroyed by the earthquake. Only about one-fifth of the population was saved, 700 persons out of 3,682. Two women were taken alive from the ruins there today. The destruction of all buildings in the town is even more complete than in Avezzano for only a single wall in the place is standing above the height of the first floor.

GRAFTON BANK IS SOLVENT

Grafton, W. Va., Jan. 20—Acting Banking Commissioner Week, is going over the accounts of the Grafton Bank, of this city, the doors of which were closed yesterday morning, stated tonight that the bank was solvent and would pay out dollar for dollar. He said the bank would open in a short time.

John T. McGraw, one of the principal stockholders, said the condition of the money market had started a run on the institution and it was deemed to close for the present. The bank has a capital of $100,000 and deposits of approximately $500,000.

U. S. Asks England For An Explanation

Washington, Jan. 20—The state department has requested of the British embassy information why the American steamer Green Brier, from New York to Bremen, with cotton under certificate of the British consul at New York, was stopped by a British cruiser, sent under British flag to a British port and detained two days before being allowed to complete her voyage to Bremen.

The points upon which the state department wants information are: First, why it was necessary to search the Green Brier in view of the certificate issued by the British consul at New York, and second, why a neutral merchant vessel was compelled to lower her flag when under no known rule could she be regarded as a prize.

The British ambassador is expected to get a report on the subject from the London foreign office.

Germany Provides For Growing More Crops

Amsterdam, Jan. 20.(—Via London)—The Telegraaf publishes a dispatch from Berlin saying the Prussian government has ordered all administrators of estates to turn over free of cost all such lands under their jurisdiction that are suitable for the growing of crops. The government of the Grand Duchy of Weimar has taken similar action.

Among the regulation concerning this transfer is the stipulation that the first crop from these lands must be harvested this year.

Columbus, Jan. 20—Fairport, in Lake county, yesterday voted dry by six votes.

22 Deputy Sheriffs Must Answer To Manslaughter

Roosevelt, N. J., Jan. 20—Mayor Joseph A. Hermann announced today that warrants had been issued for the arrest of twenty-two deputy sheriffs involved in the shooting yesterday of nineteen striking laborers at the Liebig plant of the American Agricultural Chemical Company. They will be charged with manslaughter, he said.

The men would be taken into custody at once, he added and would be arraigned this afternoon before Justice Sedan, at New Brunswick, seat of Middlesex county. The warrants had been issued at the instance of the county prosecutor, W. E. Florence.

Mayor Hermann declared that he was going to force the settlement of the trouble between the strikers and their employers to an issue. He said he had been asked by a committee of strikers to intervene with their employers for an adjustment of their differences through arbitration.

"I had 150 of the strikers searched for arms directly after the shooting," he declared, "and not a single weapon was found on any one of them."

THINGS MIXED IN MEXICO

Washington, Jan. 20.—Secretary Bryan said today the state department had been without information for two days as to what had been happening in Mexico City. He described the situation as "somewhat mixed."

The flight of General Gutierrez from Mexico City has necessitated a quick change in the military plans of the convention forces commanded by General Villa. The expected attack on Tampico, it is now believed, will be delayed.

Of course I never expected to get by with this little scion without a kick from some one and of course I got the kick. It seems that folks can be reasonable on most anything else but the weather. Now what's wrong with a snow today? Ain't this winter? And how in Sam Hill is a fellow gonna run a winter without snow—I'd like t' know. (Excuse the rhythm.) Here's th' weather:

Ohio—Local snows and colder tonight and Thursday. Partly cloudy.

Kentucky—Fair tonight and colder in east and central portion; Thursday fair.

West Virginia—Snow tonight and colder in west portion; Thursday partly cloudy.

TAX AND SERVICE BILLS INCLUDED IN MEASURES BEFORE THE ASSEMBLY

Columbus, O., Jan. 20—House leaders today were planning to call a caucus of Republican legislators probably next week to consider the best means of decentralizing the taxation and saloon licensing systems of the state, and of amending the present civil service law.

Bills introduced in the house yesterday relating to taxation reform and civil service show a difference of opinion on these subjects from the propositions in senate bills. It was said the taxation committees of the house and senate to which these bills will be referred will meet jointly and attempt to agree on a common solution of the question of taxation decentralization.

Plan of Fayette Man Meets With Favor

The bill of Representative Parrett, of Fayette, providing that the state tax commission shall appoint a board of three deputies in each county to act as a board of complaints, secured much favorable comment among members of the house today. Advocates of more complete decentralization of the tax machinery were preparing to support Senator Garver's bill, which left to the state tax commission no power to appoint any tax officials in counties. In both measures the county auditor would act as county assessor and ward or township assessors would be elected. The senate bill provides for local selection of a board of complaints, whereas the house bill permits the state commission to name members of this board.

In the Hoy civil bill presented to the house among the 96 other measures introduced yesterday, differs mainly from the Moore senate bill in that it gives greater authority to the state civil service commission to exempt from regulations of the merit system public employees or officials. Both eliminate the existing feature of non-competitive examinations.

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CONFESSES FORGERIES

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of R. E. Wathen and Company of Louisville, committed suicide by shooting on a railroad train entering Chicago today.

Ledowsky was on a Michigan Central train from Syracuse, N. Y. He telegraphed ahead to an undertaker requesting him to meet the train and take care of his body as he intended to kill himself.

An involuntary petition in bankruptcy was filed against Ledowsky's company last Monday, scheduling assets of $20,000 against liabilities of $250,000 or $300,000.

Attorney Sidney Stein, representing Ledowsky's creditors, stated that Ledowsky had confessed to him that he had forged warehouse receipts for whiskey valued at $250,000 to $300,000 and $300,000 and disposed of them through banks which he victimized.

Two Chicago Banks The Principal Losers

Stein said he discovered the forgeries while acting for his clients. Two Chicago banks were the principal losers. When Ledowsky found that he could not meet the demands of the banks he left the city, Stein said. This was a few days before the bankruptcy proceedings.

"I do not care to name the banks," said Stein, "but when the bankruptcy cases come up before Referee Wenn, late this afternoon I will place on the witness stand a man closely associated with Ledowsky in the operation of the Fox River Distilling Company. I think he will name the banks."

In the confession which Stein made public, Ledowsky speaks of forgeries on R. E. Wathen and Company, distillers of Louisville, and names a business man of Chicago as being the only person besides himself who knew that the securities were fraudulent.

Involves Chicago Man In Signed Confession

"He discounted them by keeping for himself about $25,000 and made me sign accommodation notes for about $30,000," reads the confession.

The confession, dated Jan. 13 read in part:

"To whom it may concern:—

"I, Charles Ledowsky, by my own free will herewith declare that I am the sole maker of all warehouse receipts signed R. E. Wathen and Company, of Poynt Bros. Company. I have personally written and signed, stamped in secret places, brought them to the office and borrowed money on them from banks and bankers and diverted the money to my business needs in the Fox River Distilling Company.

"No soul with exception of there the confession names a Chicago business man knows of my default. He is the man who knew the papers to be fraudulent. He discounted them by keeping for himself about $25,000 and made me sign accommodation notes for about $30,000, for which there are certain documents in the hands of the secretary of this company. I am unable to make good."

Maysville Firm Has No Knowledge of Forgery

Maysville, Ky., Jan. 20—Poynt Bros. Company distillers of Maysville, say the firm is without any information in relation to the alleged forgery of warehouse receipts, as indicated in the confession of Chas. Ledowsky, made public today in Chicago.

We get there quick. Walters Plumbing Co. adv

AIRSHIPS RAID ENGLISH TOWNS

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their cellars. Several theatres were emptied quietly.

Comment Of British Press

Comment of the British press on the aerial attack is bitter in tone many of the London papers assailing the Germans in the same unmeasured language at the time of the Hartlepool naval raid. The event is being used as a text for editorial urging more rapid recruiting.

The Pall Mall Gazette says that the only fitting answer is the sending of fresh armies to the continent. The Westminster Gazette characterizes the raid as a violation of the rules of warfare. The Globe urges retaliation in kind, observing that there are several flourishing towns within easy reach of the British airmen.

A press dispatch received here from Yarmouth says it is generally believed there that the raiders of last night came in aeroplanes of large size.

Returned Safely After Attack

There is increasing belief in London this morning that possibly only aeroplanes took part in the attack. There has been no news so far today to confirm the report current last night that a Zeppelin had been brought down, on the English coast; on the contrary it now appears as though all the German raiders have returned whence they came.

The most important towns over which the German airmen appeared were Sandringham, Yarmouth, Sheeringham, Hunslanton, Cromer, Heacham, Dersingham and King's Lynn. King George had left Sandringham only a few hours before the raiders visited. Most of the damage appears to have been inflicted on private houses and shops; few public buildings or docks seem to have been injured.

The raiding airmen showed excellent ability to pilot their vessels as well as good marksmanship. In spite of the darkness of the night they seemed to find their way over the country with remarkable directness and the accuracy of their aim with bombs was greater than was generally believed possible.

Two Killed At Yarmouth

Yarmouth, January 20,—(Via London)—Careful inquiries thus far made regarding last night's aerial raid go to show that public buildings and the railways escaped damage which is almost wholly confined to private houses and shops.

So far as is known, only two persons ,a man and a woman, were killed here. It so happened that most of the inhabitants were indoors when the raid occurred.

Fragments of metal, supposed to have been thrown by the bombs, are being found in all directions.

Towns People Take To Cellars

The whole thing was quickly over and fortunately no fires broke out in any part of the town. The first impulse of the townspeople was to rush out of doors but many, on finding that the alarm was an air attack by the Germans, quickly returned to their homes and took refuge in the basements.

Troops were turned out to assist the police in the search for wounded.

Another air craft appeared here soon after midnight but dropped no bombs.

The chief constable of Yarmouth, in telling of the raid, said:

"The people stood the raid very well. About four hundred special constables were called out and arrived with the utmost promptitude. All Red Cross and hospital arrangements proved perfect. All lights were extinguished and public performances at the theatres and music halls were abandoned. The people went home and the town was without light until morning."

Drop Bomb On Pier

The first air raider passed along the sea front and dropped the first bomb into Norfolk Square Garden, close by the beach and the Britannia Pier. This did no damage. The raider then proceeded in a southwesterly direction across town and when near the center dropped several bombs in the neighborhood of St. Peter's road, the main thoroughfare leading to the parade ground. It was here that the greatest damage was done, especially in the smashing of windows in houses and shops. The bombs, from all accounts, were dropped in rapid succession.

One bomb was dropped near the fish market, apparently with the intention of destroying any ships anchored in the vicinity.

Widow Of Soldier Is Victim

Kings Lynn, (Via London), Jan. 20.—The body of a woman, the widow of a soldier recently killed at the front, was recovered from her demolished home today. This makes the second death recorded here as a result of the aerial raid.

Fleet Passed Rapidly Over Towns

London, Jan. 20.—The approximate times of the visit of hostile airships to the several towns in Norfolk are as follows:

Yarmouth, 8:20 p. m.; Cromer, 8:30; Sheringham, 8:40; Hunslanton, 10; Heacham, 10:30; Dersingham, 10:40, and Kings Lynn, 11 o'clock.

Passed To Northward Over Sea

Hunslanton, (Via London), Jan. 20.—The police deny the report that one of the raiding Zeppelins was brought down here. The last seen of the airship which dropped bombs on this place was as she was passing away to the northward over the sea.

Explosion Heard For Five Miles

Dersingham, Norfolk, (Via London), Jan. 20.—An airship passed over Hunslanton, a few miles north of Sandringham, about 10 o'clock last night and followed the Great Eastern Railway tracks by way of Heacham, a village on the Wash, where a bomb was dropped. It fell several hundred yardsfrom some cottages but beyond tearing up the ground it did no damage. The loud explosion alarmed the whole district as the report was heard for a distance of five miles.

Following this visit the airship went to Snettisham and then passed directly over Sandringham towards Kings Lynn.

The people of Heacham had a fairly clear view of the airship and describe it as a large balloon, sausage shaped and pointed at each end.

TAKES CHARGE OF ALL GERMANY'S RAILWAYS

London, Jan. 20. The Exchange Telegraph company publishes a dispatch from Copenhagen saying that Albert Ballin, director general of the Hamburg American Steamship company at the request of Emperor William has taken over the management of the entire railroad system of Germany and the work of delivering food supplies to the German army.

RECEIVERS APPOINTED

Uniontown, Pa., Jan. 20.—Receivers were appointed in the common pleas court here today to take charge of the affairs of I. W. Seaman, a business associate of J. V. Thompson, banker and owner of coal lands for whom receivers were named yesterday. Seaman's liabilities it was stated in court were $2,800,000 and his assets $3,-

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partment by a joint committee of three representatives and three senators.

The administration bill to reorganize the state agricultural commission by replacing the present commission of four by a board of nine members appointed by the governor, probably will be introduced tomorrow by Representative Smith, of Morgan, chairman of the agricultural commission.

Will Investigate Charges Of Election Frauds

The special house committee appointed to consider election contests today refused to consider technicalities in the case of the contests against the Franklin county delegation and in a vote divided on party lines, decided to take up definite charges of fraud and illegal practices in election of the representatives.

Speaker Conover today said he expected the assembly to be in session until Friday noon, despite the wish of many Republican members to adjourn today until Monday. The record number of 96 bills thrown into the house legislative machinery yesterday, were to be referred to committees this afternoon.

Liquor License Bill Goes To Committee

The bill of Representative Graham, of Licking County, to decentralize the liquor licensing system by making the state liquor licensing board appoint members of county boards recommended by county executive committees of the two dominant parties was commended today by Representative Deaton, of Miami, chairman of the liquor traffic committee which will pass on the bill.

Mr. Deaton said a more desirable measure in his belief, would eliminate the state licensing commission, however. Mr. Graham declared the plan he proposed had been framed by Licking county interests, and he believed it would be given strong support by dry forces all over the state.

Says Liquor Question Should Be Political

County licensing boards should be bi-partisan, he declared, and the only feasible method of making them such in his opinion was to permit party committees to name them subject to formal appointment by the state commission. The liquor question would be retained in politics, he explained, but would be divorced from the election of public officials. The state commission also would have authority to remove members of county boards for malfeasance in office, according to the Graham bill.

The senate bill to amend the liquor license law in accordance with administration wishes will be introduced by Senator McDermott, of Trumbull, chairman of the temperance committee. This will not be presented for several weeks, however.

The senate judiciary committee today reported for passage the Hopple resolution urging congress to exempt Great Lake boats from regulations of the seaman bill, prescribing a great number of life boats and employees on ships.

Closed—London Shop—Stock being wrecked for sale. Starts Friday morning. adv 1t

DUTCH VESSEL GOES DOWN

The Hague, (via London) Jan. 20—The Dutch naval patrol boat Toilun, while searching for mines off Nieuw Sluis, struck a mine and disappeared under the waves. One officer and four men were lost and only fragments of their corpses were recovered.

A large number of fresh floating mines are reported from all coast towns.

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Those who object to liquid medicines can now procure Peruna Tablets.

FEAR STRIKERS WILL MAKE EFFORT TO RELEASE ETTOR

St. Clairsville, O., Jan. 20—Reports that striking miners in the southern part of Belmont county were on their way to this place to release Joseph J. Ettor, Industrial Workers of the World leader arrested yesterday at Bellaire charged with treason, caused Sheriff Bulger to increase his force of deputy sheriffs and prepare otherwise to meet a possible attack.

Sheriff Bulger, however, was unable to confirm rumors that an effort would be made to release Ettor, his representatives in the coal strike district reporting that there was no indication of any organized attack on the county jail here. No date has been set for Ettor's hearing.

Workmen continue to place the mines in readiness for resumption but no new mines resumed today. The miners are elated over winning first points in the ejection suits at Mt. Pleasant and Adena.

MITIGATION OF FLOODS AND SYSTEM OF CANALS WILL BE CONSIDERED

Columbus, Ohio, Jan. 20.—Legislators discussed today the effect on the conservancy act, which Representative Quinlisk, of Shelby, will seek to amend, of the bill introduced by Representative Hunter, of Franklin, providing for creation of a joint state and federal commission of engineers to survey the state and make recommendations for a comprehensive scheme of waterway improvement, flood protection, water supply, and barge canal construction.

The measure would authorize the governor, "to secure from the proper federal authorities as soon as practicable, the appointment of not more than three experienced government engineers, who, with persons appointed by the governor, shall constitute a board of not more than five." This commission is directed "to examine and report upon waterways connecting Lake Erie with the Ohio river along at least three routes across the state.

The work of the commission is to "have special reference to the improvement of existing stream channels for the mitigation of floods, for navigation of suitable draft, for the development of power, for betterment of sanitary conditions." The commission is to make recommendations concerning the best method of financing a general waterway improvement scheme, and the apportionment of cost among the federal state and local governments.

Compensation of members is to be determined by the governor. The bill carries an appropriation of $100,000 for the expense of the project. A number of interests advocating waterway improvement are said to be preparing to wage an active campaign in support of the bill.

Cole May Be Named Expo. Commissioner

Columbus, O., Jan. 20.—Administration leaders today declared they expected Daniel B. Torpy, of Marietta, Ohio's directing commissioner for the Panama-Pacific exposition to resign soon and that Ralph D. Cole, of Findlay, former congressman and candidate for the Republican senatorial nomination, will be appointed in his place. The salary is $6,000.

The cause of Mr. Torpy's probable resignation is said to have no connection with charges made against him in a senate resolution providing for an investigation of his expense accounts. Governor Willis would prefer a commissioner in full sympathy with his administration, according to administration leaders.

YEAR 1915 HOLDS FORTH PROMISE OF GREAT PROSPERITY SAYS E. H. GARY

New York, Jan. 20.—E. H. Gary, chairman of the United States Steel corporation and head of the mayor's committee on unemployment, asserted in a speech delivered at a luncheon of the merchants' association today that the pecuniary advantages to this country resulting from the war are now equal to the disadvantages, so far as he could judge.

"We have before us promise of an era of prosperity, contentment and happiness. Undoubtedly the terrible consequences of the pending war will for some time unfavorably affect even this great and growing nation but if we remain strictly neutral we may expect to receive an increasing measure of trade and influence.

"The year 1915 seems certain to be much better for the business man than 1914 was, and we should do everything practicable to evidence our faith in future prosperity."

OLD OREGON READY FOR CANAL OPENING

San Francisco, Jan. 20. The battleship Oregon, rejuvenated and placed in commission to lead the Atlantic fleet through the Panama canal next March is coaling here today. She will remain in port two days.

Instead of her former dress of white and yellow, the Oregon was garbed in slate-gray and the spindly foremast of '98 was replaced by one of the more modern cage like towers. Wireless antennae were among the other evidences of modern equipment.

Commander John M. Reeves, who brought the Oregon into San Francisco Bay, stood watch in the engine room during his dash around the horn in the Atlantic in 1898, and among her crew are many others who participated in that historic cruise.

HONORS REQUISITION

Columbus, Jan. 20. The governor's office today issued a requisition on the governor of Nebraska for the return of Abraham Karp, wanted in Cleveland on a charge of abandoning minor children.

CONSIDER RURAL CREDITS

Washington, Jan. 20.—Rural credits legislation was up for consideration at a meeting today of the senate banking and currency committee, with a view to reporting a bill as soon as possible.

DRIVE OUT THAT PAINFUL RHEUMATISM

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VILLAGE MAYOR SENT TO PEN

Columbus, Jan. 20—H. E. Fierrell, mayor of the village of Greenport at the time of his arrest recently, today was sentenced to the state penitentiary for an indeterminate period by Judge C. M. Rogers, of the county courts, for forging a certificate of village indebtedness.

Fierrell, according to the statement of the prosecutor, at the time he was mayor was also agent of an express company and embezzled the funds of that company. To cover up his shortage he forged the name of the town clerk to a village certificate of indebtedness for $370.

Fierrell made a plea in his own behalf when arraigned before Judge Rogers. "My wife and children are destitute and the blunt of my punishment will fall upon them," he said.

Judge Rogers declared that the offense was too serious to permit a suspension.

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WILL DEMAND LONGER VIEWS AT CROSSINGS

Slight changes will have to be made in the plans and specifications of some of the eighteen crossings petitioned for by the C. & O. Northern Railroad Company, Monday. So announced J. J. Spencer, county commissioner, upon his return from the inspection trip over the proposed route through Scioto county, Tuesday, in company with the railroad company's engineers. He added that he expressed the sentiments of the other member of the board who made the trip, President William Bennett.

Mr. Spencer stated that the board would approve of the company's request to change the location of the county roads in several places, as in each instance it can be done without injury to the road or inconvenience to the travelers. But the board, however, will insist upon better and clearer views of the crossings, so that drivers of automobiles and vehicles can note the approach of a vehicle in an opposite direction.

County Surveyor Kinley and A. L. E. Somerville, special county engineer, have the original plans, and are noting thereon the changes decided by the county commissioners. When they have completed their work, the drawings will be returned to the companys engineers for their approval. When this is done, permission to construct the crossings and change the location of the roads will be granted.

The changes contemplated call for no material deviation from the original plans and were threshed out by the parties while on the tour of inspection Tuesday. No difficulty will be experienced in arriving at a satisfactory agreement, it is thought.

The commissioners have profited by the mistakes in railroad crossings heretofore constructed in the county, and they have decided to have future crossings built to their liking before approval is forthcoming.

Closed—London Shop—Stock being wrecked for sale. Starts Friday morning. adv 1t

Says He Is Trying To Curb Expenses

The mayor says he has practically resigned himself to the belief that the board of health will not recede from its position in providing City Physician Dr. Wendelken with an assistant for several months.

While the board can name an assistant, the mayor says, council will have to first make provision for such, and then, too, it remains to be determined whether or not the present season can be regarded as an emergency.

The mayor says he has no personal interest in the matter whatever, does not care who is appointed, but feels that now is the time to curb expenses and if the board really wished to do something practical it could temporarily relieve Dr. Walter Daehler, the city milk inspector, and have him assist Dr. Wendelken as physician for several months. It is understood that Dr. W. A. Quinn has the inside track for the position of assistant city physician.

The mayor on Wednesday afternoon addressed the following letter to Clerk John W. Berndt and members of the board of health:

Permit me to cite attention to statutory provisions relative to the organization powers and duties of local boards of health:

Section 4404. The council of each municipality shall establish a board of health * * * appointed by the mayor and confirmed by council * * * the mayor shall be president by virtue of his office * * *.

Section 4408. The board of health shall appoint a health officer, * * * the board may appoint * * * with consent of council, ward or district physicians * * *.

Section 4410. Each * * * physician shall care for the sick, poor and each person quarantined * * * when such persons is unable to pay for medical attendance * * *.

Section 4450. In case of epidemic or threatened epidemic, * * * council * * * may borrow money that the local board of health deems necessary to defray the expenses to prevent the spread of such disease. * * * Thereupon the board may expend the amount so authorized * * *.

The provisions that council have made are for one city physician, who, if unable to perform the duties incumbent upon him as defined by statute, should tender, to the appointing authority, his resignation. Thereafter the Board may appoint another, who, if unable to properly care for the service may also resign. This because there are differences in the capacities of men physicians as well as others. When there are no longer any applicants, the Board should then determine the amount of work to, and the reason why it cannot be done, and later act upon the findings, by submitting to council the weight of their opinion with proper recommendations, and if possible advise how funds may be obtained, for council's guidance who will determine the advisability of providing extra help for the local Board of Health.

Copies of this letter will be mailed to each member of the Board without unnecessary delay.

Come Back "Single"

Contrary to the expectations of his relatives and friends, Elmer Life, night clerk at the Harris House, returned home early Wednesday morning from a month's visit to his own home in Elkton, Va., still in single harness. Before leaving last December, Life confided to his close friends that when he returned he would be accompanied by a southern bride. He now says that the happy event has been postponed until spring. Life will resume his duties behind the desk at the Harris House Wednesday night.

WILL FIX LANDING

The mayor acting on complaints made by Capt. Harry Donnally, of the wharfboat, has decided to take up the matter of relieving conditions at the public landing.

William Gergens, director of public service and his assistant, James Foley will call on Capt. Donnally for the purpose of advising with him with reference to the city's income from wharfage, the cost of collecting such, the money alloted by council for repairs, the amount expended thereon and just what can be done relative to granting relief.

Good feeding timothy hay $16.00 and $18.00 per ton at Harsha's Mills. 18-3t

Insurance Received

The State Industrial Commission today granted an award to George A. Youngman, of 1824 Hutchins avenue, Portsmouth, of $106.29 for an injury recently sustained by him while in the employ of Central Machine & Electrical Repair Shop at Portsmouth.

Medical bills of $74.50 were also paid for him from the state insurance fund.

Handkerchiefs 1c. The ten-cent kind of sox, 3 cents per pair at the London Shop, Friday, 9 a. m. adv 20-1

THREE JOIN UNION

At the meeting of the Retail Clerks' Union, held Tuesday night, the applications of three clerks, Miss Ida Knost, Miss Ida P. Warman and Miss Mary Virgin, were received. According to reports submitted at the meeting, the union is in splendid shape.

Stock wrecked. Store closed. Sale starts Friday. adv 1t

Treat Estate

The inventory and appraisement of the estate of the late James K. Treat, of Front street, was filed in probate court Tuesday afternoon. The total assets are $1614.50, consisting of personal property valued at $914.80, and real estate of the value of $1700. The appraisers were Cread S. Milstead, J. H. Farmer and Merle O. Dudutt.

DR. G. A. SULZER

In Portsmouth Thursdays and Fridays. Office 938 East Second Street. Eye, Ear Nose and Throat. adv.

Everett and Verner Wilson have returned to Jackson after a two weeks' visit to their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Hughes, of Second street.

Wishon On Warpath

Pel Wishon is running amuck with blood in his eye and says he is consulting a lawyer to hold the city to its "contract" with him for that proposed run way, or cart bridge at the Point.

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Master Plumbers To Look Into Unsanitary Conditions In City

The Master Plumbers met in regular session last night with all officers present. The regular routine of business was transacted. After a few remarks made by E. H. Saunders, relative to the object of the association, which are to advance sanitation, by planning for the safety and the sanitary improvements, which are essential and necessary to the betterment of health of the people of the city, the president appointed a committee of three, to be known as the sanitary committee, whose duty it is to investigate unsanitary conditions and report the finding to the Association.

An address by the president, Mr. Fred Schmidt, on the proposed ordinance, now before the city council, to license journeymen and master plumbers was greatly appreciated by those present. In brief Mr. Schmidt's remarks were as follows:

"The journeymen and master plumbers have recently presented to the Honorable Members of the City Council, an ordinance which provides a foundation for bettering the sanitary conditions in our city. After years experience as a journeyman plumber and several years engaged as master plumber I find that each year brings an added number of irresponsible, reckless, socalled plumbers, whose object is merely profit, regardless of sanitation.

"The city loses certain revenues, and the public have to contend with unsanitary conditions, which lowers vitality and in a number of cases causes disease.

"A license ordinance is the only way to rid the city of these conditions. I firmly believe that if the members of Council gives this the proper investigation, learning the conditions, as they exist, as well as getting the true meaning and intention of such ordinance, they will give it their support."

The next regular meeting will be held Tuesday, January 25.

NEW BOSTON

Mayor J. S. Davis or Marshal Will I. Davis have not received a bid or invitation to the Republican banquet that is to be given Friday evening and the fact that these two officials have not been asked to join the Republicans in their good time is causing considerable comment about the village. Charles Dixon explained Wednesday that the banquet is for Republicans and members of the Republican club only. Those holding membership cards and tickets of admission will be the only ones admitted.

Clerk Thomas O'Neal of council spent several hours Tuesday looking up the old ordinances and franchises made with the Portsmouth Street Railway and Light Company and found the following section, the only one in which the date December 31, 1914, was mentioned and this date does not in any way refer to tracks being laid on Rhodes avenue by that time: Sec. 20. "This franchise is granted upon the expressed condition that Levi D. York accept in writing within 35 days from the passage of this ordinance and carry out, and that the P. S. R. & L. Co., guarantee and procure to be accepted and carried out by L. D. York, his heirs or assigns, on or before Dec. 31, 1914, the terms and conditions of a certain ordinance adopted by the council of the village of New Boston, Sept. 18, 1911 and afterwards ratified by the electors of the village on Nov. 5, 1912 entitled Ordinance No. 76 to provide for the vacation of certain streets and alleys of New Boston and for the acquisition of certain other streets and alleys in exchange therefor and of certain other public improvements in further compensation for said vacation and in the event all the terms, conditions and stipulations of said last mentioned ordinance are not fully carried out and performed by said L. D. York, his heirs or assigns or by the P. S. R. & L. Co. or some other person or persons on or before said 31st day of December, 1914, then this franchise and all rights granted by this ordinance shall cease, determine, and be vacated and at an end."

For the fifth consecutive time a meeting of the Health Board members was called Tuesday evening but as on the other four times the meeting could not be held as only one member, Chas. Burcham, showed up. Charles Lutz's term has expired and the meeting was called to name a man in his place.

Deputy Marshal Martin Hall and wife of Ohio avenue left on Wednesday afternoon for Wait's Station where they will remain for a week with his parents. Mrs. Hall has been ill for several weeks and is in need of a long rest. Geo. Dever, former extra deputy marshal, will fill Hall's place during his absence.

Mrs. William Huff of East Rhodes avenue is expected home Thursday from a four week's visit with relatives in Waynesboro, Miss.

Watson Smith, a plain drunk, was taken into custody by Marshal Will I. Davis, Tuesday afternoon. Smith was found in a helpless condition on the porch of the George Lauder home on East Rhodes avenue.

Samuel Berry was locked up by Marshal Will I. Davis Tuesday afternoon on a charge of drunkenness.

Izar Church, who was fined $10 and costs and put under $100 peace bond by Mayor Davis Tuesday, is still a prisoner in the village jail.

Joe Hladik is having a new front put in his restaurant on Gallia pike.

The funeral of Lloyd Cooley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cooley of Ohio avenue, who died Tuesday noon will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home with Walter Bagby in charge. Burial in Greenlawn.

Hazel Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Anderson of Gallia pike is convalescing from a slight illness.

Frank Mitchell returned to his home on the West Side, Tuesday after spending several days with his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Anderson, of Gallia pike.

Louis Jenkins of 182 East Rhodes avenue, has returned home after a visit with his sister, Miss Metta Jenkins, of Columbus.

Mr. and Mrs. James Carpenter have returned to their home in Winchester, Ky. after a four week's visit with his sister, Mrs. Katie Hunter of Gallia pike.

Mrs. Amos Jenkins of East Rhodes avenue has returned from a visit with relatives in Barden.

The Portsmouth Steel Company has laid acid pipes beneath the surface of Ohio avenue between its two plants.

The W. O. W. lodge will hold their regular meeting Thursday evening in the Davis hall on Ohio avenue.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Baptist church will hold their regular weekly meeting Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Thomas Harr, Mrs. Jacob Maple and Mrs. Birch Hunt have been added to the list of ladies who are to help serve at the Republican banquet, Friday evening.

Sox, 3 cents per pair—15-cent quality, at the London Shop, Friday morning at 9 o'clock. adv 20-1

Not An Arrest

Not a single arrest was made Tuesday night and an empty docket greeted the mayor Wednesday morning. The usual crowd of regulars gathered only to learn that there would be no session of police court.

Culkins Re-Appointed

Friends in this city of Wm C. Culkins will be glad to learn he has been reappointed secretary of the Cincinnati chamber of commerce for another year.

Call The Inter State when you want a taxi cab. New cab now ready for service. adv 15-14

The Movies

Master Mind at Columbia Tonight

"The Master Mind", one of the Famous Player productions, will be shown here tonight. This film is in five reels, with 212 scenes, and is probably the most sensational feature that has been offered in the silent drama. The picture will feature Edmund Reese, foremost among the great American actors, and the part that he portrays is the same that he has appeared in throughout the country. Manager Tynes is confident that this picture will long be remembered by the patrons of the Columbia.

Davison's Orchestra At The Lyric Tonight

If you like to hear some real music be on hand tonight at the Lyric. Davison's Five Piece Orchestra has arranged a special program of "merit music" that will be good to hear. Alice Joyce in a two part feature "Cast Up By the Sea," and Lillian Walker in "Arthur Truman's Ward," are the pictures and they are both excellent offerings.

Tomorrow will bring the mighty sensation "413," the picture in which the Vitagraph company sets an awful pace for real thrilling sensations. The story is a splendid dramatic conception featuring Anita Stewart, Julia Swayne Gordon, Harry T. Morey and Harry Northup. There is a world of healthy excitement. In this picture is the much talked of scene in which a whole passenger train is derailed and tumbles over a fifty foot embankment, smashing to splinters on the rocks below. It is estimated that the production of "413" has cost the Vitagraph company $30,000. It is surely a wonderful picture and you will be sorry if you don't get in to see it. The admission will be ten cents for adults and five cents for children.

At The Temple

At the Temple theatre on Eleventh street tonight a splendid Domino feature, "Not of the Flock", a love story of a girl who never had a chance. "The Creator of Hunger" will be shown in addition to a beauty film featuring May White. The fourth reel a Keystone comedy entitled "Wet Inside and Out". If you want a good laugh don't fail to drop in at the Temple theatre tonight.

At The Exhibit

A big five reel feature "The Lights of London" is the attraction at the Exhibit tonight. It is a comprehensive story of city life, graphically told, cleverly pictured and containing an absorbing plot throughout the play.

The picture is one of the box office attractions that has been making such a hit all over the country. Photo work in the picture is excellent.

Thursday's offering is a three reel comedy entitled "Bungling Bunk's Bunco." It is a story of jungle life and makes an interesting as well as highly entertaining story.

THEATRICAL

The New Sun

The Barrett Players offer for Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week "The Girl," one of the very best Western plays obtainable. It is said to be just as good in every respect as "The Girl of the Golden West."

Miss May will appear in the name part, while Mr. La Renz has another romantic character. The balance of the company will be cast in their respective lines. Perhaps the part assigned to Edmund Carroll is the best, or at least one of the best he has been seen in. The scenes are laid in the extreme West in the year '49, during the gold rush to California, at a time when there was very little law and practically no conventionality. Everybody drifted along to the best or worst that they could, most of them voting a straight ticket for the worst. And yet here we find a diamond in the rough. "The Girl," as she is called by the boys—they all love her and all want to marry her, but she can't make up her mind as to which one she likes best, until an outlaw appears on the scene and settles the question. She loves him, and continues to love him, even when his identity as a road agent has ben proven beyond a doubt. She fights for him, even to risking her very soul for his sake, and in the end love triumphs, as it always does, when honest.

The scenery will be novel and a big storm effect is shown in Act 3rd that is said to be worth going a long ways to see.

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THE HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM.

Some months ago we commented adversely upon the policy of the Board of Education in refusing to allow the public the use of the High School auditorium for public meetings, and we have not changed our opinion in the slightest. We think that the board made a grave mistake in shutting the doors of the buildings erected by public money in the faces of the men and women who foot the bills.

The Board of Education should reconsider its attitude of unresponsiveness to public sentiment and adopt a more liberal attitude. It should endeavor to make the school a social center, instead of plastering it with "Keep off the Grass" and "Not Wanted Here" signs. The board can adopt such rules governing the use of the auditorium as seems best, and it can be assured that they will be lived up to by our people.

Our comment, however, applies only to week day gatherings, and then only to those of a public nature. We do not believe in opening our school auditoriums on Sunday's for any gatherings of any kind or character, unless it be in case of some extraordinary emergency.

THE PASSENGER RATE INCREASE.

Whatever may be our opinion of the merits of the attempt of the Ohio railroads to secure the enactment of legislation increasing the passenger rates from two to two and one-half cents, their plan of first taking the public into their confidence cannot be too highly commended. It shows the total reversal of methods formerly practiced by railway corporations. It used to be that such legislation as that now desired would be hurried through a legislature and the only intimation the public would get would be after the law was on the statute books. Then they could howl themselves hoarse and get laughed at for the howling. Nowadays the railroads and other corporations are following a more sane and sensible policy. They are going to the people who will be affected first and there they are presenting their cases, realizing that without popular approval the legislators will not dare to take action. The railroads, under these conditions, are more apt to submit only such matters as are of vital importance and for which they have substantial reasons.

In the proposed passenger increase in Ohio, we are frankly opposed to it unless mighty good reasons are advanced for the change. We believe in giving the railroads a fair deal and we are opposed to confiscatory legislation aimed at them. If the railroads can show that they cannot operate their passenger business in Ohio at the two cent rate at a profit, that, is a profit on legitimate capitalization, not watered capitalization, then unquestionably they should have the relief sought. None of us would want to run a business ourselves at a loss and we should not expect any one else to do so. But we want to be shown that it is a legitimate demand backed by legitimate figures and facts, and not merely an effort to sandbag the public by taking advantage of general conditions existing in the state and nation.

A LITTLE BIT OF KIPLING.

In one of the Kipling short stories there is a song, one verse of which reads this way:

"I've tested the luck o' the army,
In barrack an' camp an' clink,
An' I lost my tip through the bloomin' trip
Along o' the women an' drink;
I'm down at the heel o' my service
An' when I'm laid on the shelf
My very worst friend from beginning to end
By the blood of a mouse, was myself."

What a world of truth there is in the last two lines of the verse, and how it comes home to all of us as we look back over our lives. And how we can sympathize with Mulvaney, who, as Kipling tells us, stood leaning on his rifle on picket duty, the night dew gumming his mustache, lonely as Prometheus on his rock, with I know not what vultures tearing at his liver, softly humming to himself,

"My very wust frind from beginnin' to end,
By the blood of a mouse waz mesilf."

Missouri is true to her reputation. It took the governor 18 solid columns of words to show the legislature the needs of the hour.

"GRANDPA" WILSON

THE DOWNFALL OF TIPPERARY.

Six young bucks of Gallipolis were wending their way homewards last Saturday night and as they wended they sought to relieve the tedium of the wending by filling the midnight air with the air of tuneful "Tipperary." It was well sung, it was militantly sung, it was loudly sung, it was persistently sung. In fact "Tipperary" was never so lovingly sung as it was last Saturday night by six young bucks of Gallipolis.

But alas for "Tipperary". Its melody found no answering echo in the heart of a minion of the law who was peacefully holding up the rights of the sleepers to sleep, and mayhap was setting the example himself. He objected to this disturbing af repose. Like a whirlwind of wrath he descended upon the six young bucks and soon convinced them that while it may be "a long, long way to Tipperary", it was a short, short way to the police station. It was also a short, short time before the mayor of Gallipolis tore himself from dreamland and disposed of Tipperary with $4.40 assessments tacked onto each of its admirers.

While we grieve to think that Gallipolis has taken a step backward in things musical and artistic by compelling Tipperary to take the count, still it must be admitted there may have been provocation. Tipperary has been the most present song in years. It obtrudes itself upon every street corner, every concert, every home and every gathering. And the worst of it is that every man, regardless of standing in the musical world, considers himself licensed to attack and execute Tipperary upon the slightest provocation. Why the other night, when eleven other fellows were bravely tackling the "long, long, way" we ourselves, with a voice that has about as much music in it as a cross-cut saw, were sorely tempted and almost fell. Of course if the young bucks of Gallipolis were in our class as song birds we have nothing further to say. We can understand why the soundest sleeping policeman in the town was aroused to wrathful activity.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

(Chicago News)

Anyway, it's none of a man's business how old a woman is.

It's better to be up and doing than it is to be down and done.

All things may come to him who waits—except his missing hair.

A really handsome woman is one whose mirror backs up her vanity.

Many a man turns over a new leaf one day and turns it back the next.

Kisses that are not intoxicating may be the kind that drive men to drink.

But one doesn't need to be a botanist in order to recognize a blooming idiot.

The more a man gets the more he wants—unless a police judge is dealing it out.

A child's cuteness or impudence depends on whether it belongs to you or to one of the neighbors.

The ascent of the ladder of fame may be difficult, but we never notice the splinters until we begin to slide down again.

BLACKSMITH SHOP OPENS

E. D. Kelley and W. M. Halbert have opened a first-class horseshoeing shop at the old Bender stand, 426 Third street. Both Messrs. Kelley and Halbert are experienced horse-shoers and have taken possession of the well-equipped shop formerly conducted by Henry Hohenstein. Mr. Kelley, one of the members of the firm, has for many years been a horse-shoer here, formerly conducting a shop on Gay street. They are ready to meet their old friends and many new ones at their new stand.

Bike Skidded

Lawrence Wagner, bookkeeper for the Patterson Paper Box company, was severely bruised and had a sleeve torn out of his overcoat when his bicycle slipped out from under him at Fourth and Bond streets Wednesday morning.

TRY THIS FOR NEURALGIA

Thousands of people keep on suffering with Neuralgia because they do not know what to do for it. Neuralgia is a pain in the nerves. What you want to do is to soothe the nerve itself. Apply Sloan's Liniment to the surface over the painful part—do not rub it in. Sloan's Liniment penetrates very quickly to the sore, irritated nerve and allays the inflammation. Get a bottle of Sloan's Liniment for 25 cents of any druggist and have it in the house—against Colds, Sore and Swollen Joints, Lumbago, Sciatica and like ailments. Your money back if not satisfied, but it does give almost instant relief.

In view of the fact that she has a couple of fairs on her hands and rather than permit sight-seers to turn toward Italy, possibly California may admit in an off-hand way that she occasionally throws a quake or two herself, says the Marion Star. Why insult the Californians that way. No true native or adopted son admits such a word to his vocabulary. They had a big fire, not a quake.

DOC KOKO'S COLUMN

The Duel

The gingham dog and the calico cat
Side by side on the table sat,
"Twas half past 12, and (what do you think!)
Nor one nor t'other had slept a wink!
The old Dutch clock and the Chinese plate
Appeared to know as sure as fate
There was going to be a terrible spat,
(I wasn't there; I simply state
What was told to me by the Chinese plate.)

The gingham dog went "Bow-wow-wow,"
And the calico cat replied, "Mee-ow!"
The air was littered an hour or so
With bits of gingham and calico,
While the old Dutch clock in the chimney place
Up with its hands before its face,
For it always dreaded a family row!
(Now mind; I'm only telling you
What the old Dutch clock declares is true!)

The Chinese plate looked very blue,
And wailed, "Oh, dear, what shall we do?"
But the gingham dog and the calico cat
Wallowed this way and tumbled that,
Employing every tooth and claw
In the awfulest way you ever saw,
And, oh, how the gingham and calico flew!
(Don't fancy I exaggerate—
I got my news from the Chinese plate.)

Next morning, where the two had sat,
They found no trace of dog or cat;
And some folks think unto this day
That burglars stole that pair away!
But the truth about the cat and pup,
Is this: They ate each other up!
Now what do you really think of that?
(The old Dutch clock, it told me so,
And that is how I came to know.)

—Eugene Fields.

Looks Awful Anyway

The man who neglects to shave feels awful, but he doesn't feel half as bad as he looks.

Huh?

Friend of clerk in department store—"Where is Miss B——?"

Suave floor-walker — "Next floor. You'll find her in pajamas."

Slang Singers

Of all the pests that throng the land
The worst we've ever seen
Is that poor wight who thinks it grand
To call his head a "bean."

Ever since reading about a lecturer whose topic was "Puncture-Proof People" we have been wondering if he referred to tightwads.

Bet He Doesn't Get Along as Fast as he did with Two Feet

Olen Carson is getting along nicely after cutting his foot nearly off.—Benton Courier.

The Poor Caterpilar

A caterpillar's eyes can see nothing at a distance beyond two-fifths of an inch, according to an exchange, which must make trying to cross the street in front of an automobile an extremely dangerous proceeding for young caterpillars.

The Power of Paint

Notes from the New York dog show include mention of a woman who won the love of a Boston terrier by smearing it all over with paint. Funny way to make up with a dog, isn't it. To make up with a man some women use paint but do the smearing on themselves.

A Quiet Wedding

A social editress who knows her business wrote about the "quiet wedding" of a couple of mutes in Columbus recently.

Fashion Note

"Dance Frock in Apple Green Pussy Willow Taffeta," says a fashion hint. Maybe the girls know what it means, but we doubt if men could ever learn that kind of language.

Wasted Energy

Our idea of wasted energy is applause in a moving picture theater.

Life Would Be Pleasant

If some men could only be as satisfied with others as they are with themselves then undoubtedly life would be very pleasant indeed.—East Liverpool Review.

"Many a family tree," says the Detroit Free Press, "has produced a nut." And then just consider the lemons!—Cleveland News.

And don't forget the Prunes.—Zanesville Signal.

Nor the suckers—Youngstown Telegram.

Or sour grapes.

No job too small. No contract too large. Walters Plumbing Co. adv

Animal Jingles
FOR LITTLE FOLKS
BY ALICE CREW GALL

J. AUGUSTUS RABBIT
(Who Told Fibs.)

Little J. Augustus Rabbit had a most distressing habit
Of telling things that were not true; he told them every day.
If he told you he was sickly you would make your mind up quickly
He was well, because you couldn't trust a single thing he'd say.

Now, his parents were distracted at the dreadful way he acted;
They were afraid when he grew up he'd meet some awful fate.
And they sounded night and mornings any number of grave warnings,
And begged of him to mend his ways before it was too late.

And they tried so hard to break him of this fault they'd even shake him
Every time they caught him telling anything that was not true.
And Augustus promised truly he would curb his tongue unruly,
But he still went right on fibbing in spite of all that they could do.

Finally once when he was hopping through the field and often stopping
To nibble at a root or at a tender blade of grass,
He heard a dreadful snapping and felt some iron a-trapping
His little paw; he tried to run, but could not move, alas!

Then he tried to call his mother, his sister or his brother.
He called: "I'm fastened in a trap; please come and let me out!"
Although they heard him plainly, he called and called them vainly.
They said: "That is another lie; we know what you're about."

And because that little rabbit had the dreadful fibbing habit
No one would pay attention when he pitifully called:
And if little Mary Linnet hadn't happened by that minute,
I reckon J. Augustus would have stayed there till he died.

If any little girl or boy who reads this sorry tale,
Has J. Augustus' fault I hope he'll cure it without fail.
For truth is just the pearl of pearls; I'm older and I know.
If you'd be happy, boys and girls, don't tell what is not so.

WILL GIVE DANCE

The Decorators and Paper-Hangers' Union will give a dance on Tuesday, February 2, and the committee on arrangements includes Messrs. Martin, Rudy, Long, Brown and Grice. Tickets are already on sale.

Mrs. John Miller of Lick Run, was taken to the St. Carmel hospital in Columbus, Monday, to undergo an operation.

GRANDMA NEVER LET HER HAIR GET GRAY

Kept her locks youthful, dark, glossy and thick with common garden Sage and Sulphur.

When you darken your hair with Sage Tea and Sulphur, no one can tell, because it's done so naturally, so evenly. Preparing this mixture, though, at home is messy and troublesome. For 60 cents you can buy at any drug store the ready-to-use tonic called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound." You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. By morning all gray hair disappears, and, after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully darkened, glossy and luxuriant. You will also discover dandruff is gone and hair has stopped falling. Gray, faded hair, though no disgrace, is a sign of old age, and as we all desire a youthful and attractive appearance, get busy at once with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur and look years younger.

To Install Tonight

The Street Railway Employees' Union No. 455 will meet Wednesday night in regular session and install the following officers: President, Edgar Gore; vice-president, Andy Workman; secretary, Charles Luckett; financial secretary, Harry Dixon; warden, Ellsworth E. Hise; conductor, George Click; correspondent, John Skelton; executive board, Andy Workman, George Click, Fred Ashley, Fred Turner and George Smith. Members Gore, Click, Turner and Hise will represent the local in Central Labor Council. Oscar Forinash fills the office of business agent, the only salaried position of all the offices.

Everett Cottle, extra conductor, and son of Motorman Henry Cottle, one of the first employees to enter the service, will be taken in as a member of the local.

MISS WHITE HEARD FROM

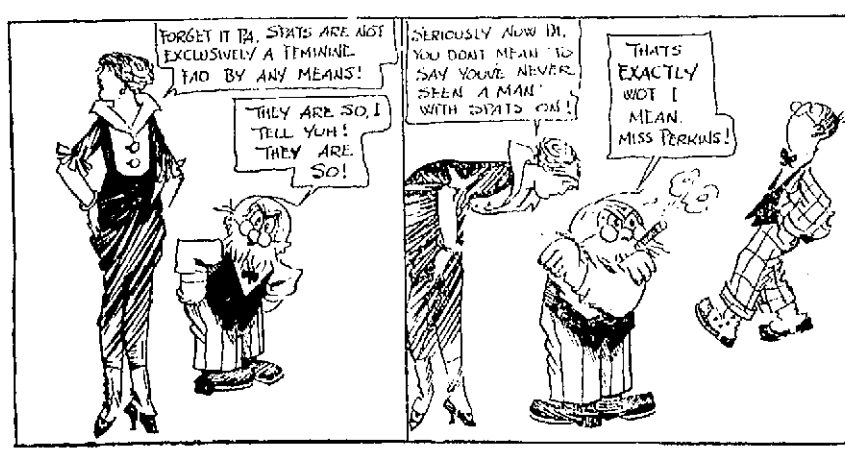
Mr. and Mrs. Louis White, parents of Miss Margaret White, who left her home near Waits Station over seven weeks ago without informing her parents of her destination, have received a letter from her in Columbus. She is living at 33 East Main street and according to the letter sent her parents has a good job. Friends have received letters from her saying that she would like to come back but has decided to remain in Columbus.

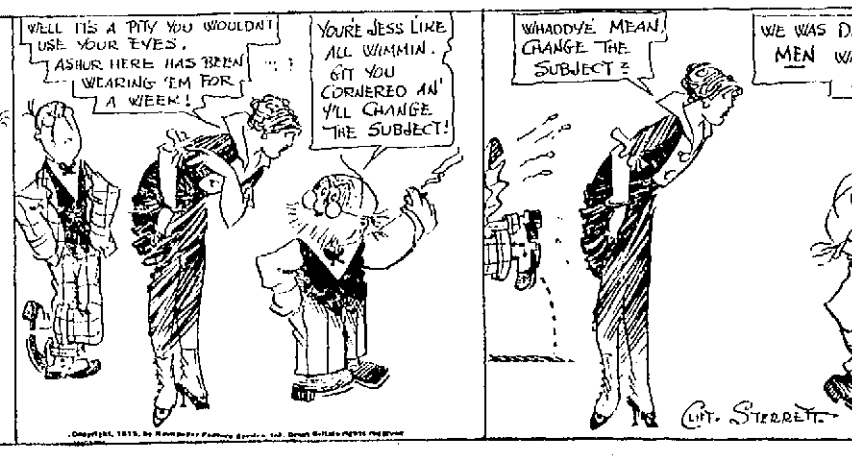
Want Better Walks

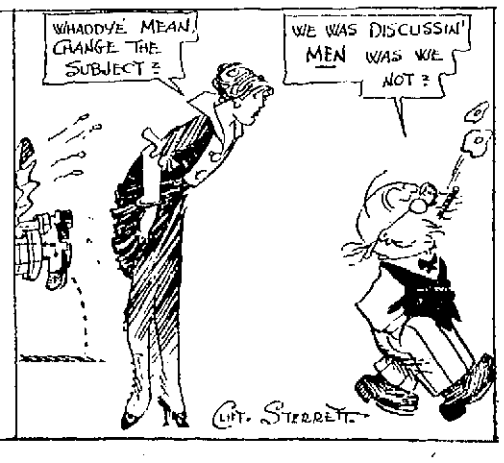
The mayor has called the attention of Zettman Bros. to the lack of sidewalks leading to their property on Thompson street occupied by the American Steam laundry. He asks them to lead a movement among the abutting property owners there to have temporary walks prepared with cinder if nothing better until weather conditions will permit the laying of permanent walks.

"Grandma" Walter Ruggles of Lick Run is seriously ill with dropsy.

POLLY AND HER PALS







WHAT DO YOU KNOW ABOUT YOUR EYES?

Do you know their disposition and know they change as you grow older? Do you know that by our modern method of examining the eyes we can tell what changes will take place in your vision with the passing of the years? If you have any little irregularity of vision NOW, we can fit your eyes with correct glasses which will stay further progress of it, and prevent the suffering which is inevitable if the proper corrective measures are not taken immediately. Conserve your good vision while you have it, so that you may never know the sorrow of waning sight.

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MASONIC NOTICE

Aurora Lodge No. 48 will confer the Master Mason degree Thursday evening, Jan. 21 at 7 p. m.

MASONIC NOTICE

Regular meeting of Calvary Commandery No. 13, Monday, Jan. 25 at 7 o'clock.

WANTED

WANTED:—3 boarders. Phone X 1059. 21tf

WANTED:—Carpets to clean. We make rugs out of old carpets. Portsmouth Carpet Cleaning Co., Revare & Klingman. Home phone 490. 20tf

WANTED:—Girl for general housework. Adams bakery, New Boston. 19tf

WANTED:—Everybody to know that they can get Pure Italian Olive Oil at 1119 17th St. 15-6

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WANTED—Experienced girl for housework, must have reference as to work and character. 725 5th. Phone 936 X. 18tf

WANTED:—Girl for general house work, 1939 20th. 20-2

WANTED:—Fraternal insurance solicitor on salary and commission basis desired by one of the large societies. Writes men and women. Twenty-five thousand members in Ohio. Inquire J. Busch, State Deputy, Parkersburg, W. Va. 20-6

WANTED:—Position by young man as clerk, or stenographer, have had some experience and can give good reference. Address "M" care Times. 20-2

WANTED:—Experienced girl for general housework. Apply 1808 5th. 20-3

WANTED:—Middle aged lady to assist in cooking 1162 10th. 20tf

NOTICE: If you want some one to collect your rents Phone 1661 Y, Philip Bauer, 1129 17th 19-3

WANTED:—Reliable man as partner at new and second hand clothing store. 1014 Gallia near John. Phone 1676 X. 19tf

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FOR SALE:—Small supply of stereotype mats. Better than paper for laying under carpets. The Times Office. 4tf

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FOR SALE:—Indian 1913 model motorcycle, first class condition and fully equipped. Can be seen between 6 and 8 o'clock in evening. Poetker's grocery, 11th and Offnere Sts. 19-3

FOR SALE:—25 head of horses and mules. W. F. Seymour, Home phone 602. Bell 143. 14-10

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FOR SALE:—Or trade, city property for farm. Inquire at Miller Dry Goods Co., or call A 244 or Y 1115. 18-3

FOR SALE:—12 acres land Chillicothe pike, 4 miles from town. Practically level, 400 ft. frontage, splendid investment for sub-division. Phone 596. Real Estate Exchange.
LEW LOWRY. 20-2

FOR SALE:—1914 model, five passenger touring car 35 h. p. electric lights and starter, standard make, perfect condition, guaranteed a bargain. Address Lock Box 809, City. 18-3

FOR SALE:—Gas heaters from 98 cents up, Central Hardware Co., 543-545 2nd. Phone 106. 18-3

FOR SALE:—118 acres with house and barn, one mile from New Boston. Address Martin Scherer, Portsmouth, O. 15-11

FOR SALE—Fresh cow and calf. Ethel Smith, West Side, Carey's Run R. D. 1, City. 18-3

FOR SALE:—Belgian hares. 551 6th. 18-3

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FOR SALE—5 room cottage with bath complete, $2550. 1916 Grandview Ave. Phone 1692 A. 18-3

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3 room cottage 14th St. $800.
5 room cottage 6th St., $1500.
3 room cottage 7th St., $1250.
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All good renting properties. Call at office, 511 Chillicothe St., over Reis Bros. or Phone 506.
LEW LOWRY. 20-2

FOR SALE:—On rent. The Spellacy farm on the West Side. Address Sarah Spellacy, R. D. 2, Galloway, O. 7-16

FOR SALE:—Good, well improved farm of 50 acres, with five room house, good barn and other outbuildings in French Grant, 1 mile from Haverhill Station, good water and much fruit, for price and terms see Frank L. Sikes, Scioto ville, O. Both phones. 13tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Modern 7 room house in Timmonds addition. Will sell or trade for smaller property or good farm. Phone 506.
LEW LOWRY. 20-2

FOR SALE:—Two 4-room cottages, also choice property on Hilltop, cheap. Philip Bauer. Phone 1661 Y. 19-3

FOR SALE:—Or trade for lumber or lot, 7 passenger automobile cheap. Phone 1387 Y. 18tf

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LEW LOWRY. 20-2

FOR SALE:—2 pens of Rhode Island Reds, one pen containing 3 hens and rooster and one containing 4 hens and rooster, cheap. 1704 High. Phone 1585 A 20-1

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FOR SALE:—Antique furniture. 519 3rd. 19-3

FOR RENT

FOR RENT:—1 furnished room for light housekeeping. Inquire 930 Gallia. 11tf

FOR RENT:—6 room cottage with bath, centrally located. Inquire 613 4th. 4tf

FOR RENT:—Modern five room cottage with bath, 1514 4th. Apply F. H. Watkins' grocery. 19-3

FOR RENT:—6 room two story house 1412 18th. Phone 427 Y. 19-3

FOR RENT:—Furnished room, all modern improvements, two doors from post office. 731 6th. 20-3

FOR RENT:—Six room dwelling, bath, front and back porch, cistern, water for laundry in cellar. 1221 Franklin. Phone 13, owner. 20-3

FOR RENT:—7 room house, bath, corner Grandview and 20th St. Phone 707 B. 20-3

FOR RENT:—8 room house with bath 941 2nd. Call Mrs. James McMahon, 1401 9th. Phone 402 B. 20-3

FOR RENT:—Nice front room, all conveniences. 618 Washington. Phone 848. 20tf

FOR RENT:—3 rooms furnished for light housekeeping, water and gas, $2.50 per week. 1528 10th. 20tf

FOR SALE:—Tarpaulins, all sizes at H. S. Grimes, Elk Bldg. 24tf

FOR RENT:—4 room cottage. Inquire 1113 9th. 18-3

FOR RENT:—Furnished room for light housekeeping, 1004 8th St. 18-3

FOR RENT:—5 room two story house with gas, 521 7th. Apply Labold's millinery store. 18tf

FOR RENT:—5 room cottage 1805 6th St. No children. Call 1634 5th St. 18-3

FOR RENT:—4 room house in rear, no house in front. 1721 Logan, gas and water. Jordan's grocery. Phone 406. 18-3

FOR RENT:—Room, 724 6th St. 18-3

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Helen, little daughter of Mrs. Ada Jones, of Front street, is quite ill. She was a little better Wednesday.

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FOR RENT:—Nicely furnished front room, bath and modern conveniences, 614 Washington. 19tf

FOR RENT:—Two unfurnished rooms, bath. 1743 7th. 19-3

FOR RENT:—Furnished front room, bath. 1116 4th. 18-6

FOR RENT:—Three room flat, first floor, water and gas, 2322 8th. St. Call C. W. G. Hannah. Phone A 22, Scioto ville. 2-

FOR RENT:—3 room house in rear of 534 6th. 11tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping, all conveniences, 529 3rd St. 4tf

FOR RENT:—2 furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 1508 7th St. 5tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished front room. 922 7th St. Phone B-1187. 10-tf

FOR RENT:—Tarpaulins, all sizes at H. S. Grimes, Elk Bldg. 24tf

FOR RENT:—3 room upstairs flat 8th and Brown. Phone 717. 4tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished room. 1012 3rd. 9tf

FOR RENT:—2 front rooms furnished for light housekeeping with all conveniences. 1415 2nd 14tf

FOR RENT:—4 room flat, also 2 3-room flats, reasonable rent, all conveniences. Call 523 2nd. Phone 1394 A. 9-tf

LOST

LOST:—Gray suede gentlemen's glove, 740 4th. Phone 448. 20-3

FOUND:—Stray dark, red cow with black face. John Cannaday, Friendship, O. 18-3d 1w

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The Markets

NEW YORK STOCKS

New York, Jan. 20—Trading in stocks today was less active but embraced a number of minor or secondary issues including Missouri Pacific which gained 2½ points. The entire list showed a higher tendency in the final dealings.

Business fell away more than fifty per cent compared with yesterday's early session, but prices were well held in the face of continued realizing. Important issues like Reading, Union Pacific, St. Paul, Pennsylvania and Great Northern sold above their best in the previous day. Missouri Pacific, which was second in activity to Reading, equalled its recent high. Canadian Pacific more than recovered its initial loss and Bethlehem preferred added to its rise. United States Steel was under pressure, also leading coppers, but Smelting gained a point. St. Paul convertible fives were the feature of the bond group on extensive buying at record prices.

The swift pace maintained by yesterday's market resulted in further profit taking at the outset of the session, most of the leaders yielding fractionally, with a loss of 1¼ for Canadian Pacific and one point for Bethlehem Steel. The preferred shares of the latter company gained 1¾, however, in recognition of its increased dividend. Rumley common descended to a lower price as a result of receivership proceedings. The list stiffened perceptibly at the end of the half hour under lead of Reading and Union Pacific.

Feature of the last hour was the further rise in numerous low priced stocks and bonds, especially the Gould group. Standard stocks also bettered their position, St. Paul and American Telephone gaining two points with many one point advances in others. The closing was strong.

CLOSING PRICES NEW YORK STOCKS

Amalgamated Copper 57⅝.
American Beet Sugar 35½.
American Cotton Oil 45½.
American Smelting & Refining 63.
American Sugar Refining 103.
American Tel. & Tel. 121½.
Anaconda Mining Co. 27¾.
Atchison 95⅛.
Atlantic Coast Line 103.
Baltimore & Ohio 73⅞.
Brooklyn Rapid Transit 88.
Canadian Pacific 167¼.
Chesapeake & Ohio 44.
Chicago & North Western 128.
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul 925.
Colorado Fuel & Iron 26.
Colorado & Southern 25½.
Delaware & Hudson 147.
Denver & Rio Grande 6.
Erie 23.
General Electric 144¾.
Great Northern pfd 116⅞.
Great Northern Ore Ctfs 31.
Illinois Central 108⅛.
Interborough-Met. 11⅛.
Interborough-Met. pfd. 49¾.
Inter. Harvester 96½.
Louisville & Nashville Ex Div 119.
Missouri Pacific 14¾.
Missouri, Kansas & Texas 11¼.
Lehigh Valley 137½.
National Lead 46½.
New York Central 89¼.
Norfolk & Western 102.
Northern Pacific 101¾.
Pennsylvania 106⅞.
People's Gas. Ex Div 119 B.
Pullman Palace Car 154.
Reading 151¾.
Rock Island Co. ⅞.
Rock Island Co. pfd. 1⅛.
Southern Pacific 86⅝.
Southern Railway 16⅞.
Union Pacific 120⅞.
United States Steel 52¼.
United States Steel pfd. 108¼.
Wabash 1⅜.
Western Union 63.
New Haven 553¼.
Bethlehem Steel 52⅛.

CHICAGO GRAIN

Chicago, Jan. 20.—Nervousness continued today on the part of the holders of wheat, and there was a further downward swing in prices. Attention centered largely on the apparent cooling off in the export demand, but there was also unremittent watchfulness for developments in regard to a possible embargo. The opening which was 1-8 to 3-4 down, was followed by a moderate further setback and then a fair rally.

Corn eased off with wheat. Substantial support, however, was soon forthcoming and most of the decline was overcome. After opening 1-8 and 1-4 to 1-2 and 5-8 lower, the market gradually hardened.

Recent heavy sellers of oats turned today to the buying side. In consequence, prices for oats held relatively steadier than other grain.

Provisions went down grade, influenced by a decline in the hog market. The weakness of cereals tended also to induce some selling.

Subsequently, although renewed heaviness ensued, seaboard advices that 1,000,000 bushels had been taken for ocean shipment brought about a sharp advance. There were also reports of big storms in Argentina and of protests to be sent to congress from farmers' elevator associations in Nebraska, Iowa and the Dakotas taking ground against any measure that would cause a lowering of grain values. The close was strong at 2 1-4 to 3 1-8 and 3 1-4 above last night.

Export demand for corn led afterward to a decided upturn. The close was strong at ⅞ to 1c net advance.

OPENING

Wheat: May, $1.39¼; July, $1.22⅝.
Corn: May, 77¼c; July, 78¼c.
Oats: May, 54⅞c; July, 52¾c.

CLOSING

Wheat: May $1.43; July $1.25 5-8.
Corn: May 78 5-8c; July 79½c.
Oats: May 55 7-8c; July 53 5-8c.

TOLEDO GRAIN

Toledo, Ohio, Jan. 20.—Wheat cash $1.43; May $1.46 1-4.
Corn cash 75@78c; May 80 7-8c; July $1 3-4c.
Oats cash 55@ 55 3-4c; May 58c.
Rye No. 2 $1.20.
Clover seed prime cash $9.55; Feb. $9.60; March $9.65.
Alsike prime cash $8.47½; March $9.55.
Timothy prime cash $3.32½; March $3.37½.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS

PITTSBURGH
CHICAGO

Chicago, Jan. 20.—Hogs—receipts 52,000; dull; bulk $6.55@6.85; light $6.55@6.95; mixed $6.50@6.95; heavy $6.40@6.90; roughs $6.40@6.50; pigs $5.25@6.90.

Cattle—receipts 18,000; weak; native steers $5.50@9.25; western $5.00@7.50; cows and heifers $3.20@8.00; calves $7.25@10.50.

Sheep—receipts 15,000; strong; sheep $5.75@6.40; yearlings $6.60@7.60; lambs $6.75@8.50.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Jan. 20.—Hogs receipts 2,500; slow; heavies $7.25@7.35; yorkers $7.50@7.60; pigs $7.00@7.40.

Sheep and lambs—receipts 1,000; steady; top sheep $6.50; top lambs $8.60.

Calves—receipts 50; steady; top $11.50.

CINCINNATI

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 20—Hogs: receipts 4,000; lower; packers and butchers $6.75 to $6.90; common to choice, $5.00 to $6.15; pigs and lights, $5.20 to $7.15.

Cattle: receipts, 200; slow; calves higher, $4.50 to $11.00.

Sheep: receipts, 100; steady; lambs, steady, $6.00 to $8.75.

CLEVELAND

Cleveland, O., Jan. 20—Cattle: receipts, 100; slow but steady; prices unchanged.

Calves: receipts, 100; steady; good to choice veal calves, $10.00 to $11.60.

Sheep and lambs: receipts, 2,500; steady; good to choice lambs, 17.85 to $8.00.

Hogs: receipts, 4,000; 10 to 20 lower; yorkers, light yorkers, pigs, $6.90; heavies and mediums, $6.80; roughs, $6.90; stags, $5.25.

EAST BUFFALO

East Buffalo, N. Y., Jan 20.—Cattle—receipts 450, dull.

Veals—receipts 50, active; $4.00@12.00.

Hogs—receipts 3,200, slow; heavy $7.00@7.25; mixed $7.15@7.25; yorkers $7.15@7.50; pigs $7.50; roughs $6.25@6.40; stags $5.00@6.00.

Sheep and lambs—receipts 5,000; sheep active; lambs slow; lambs $5.00@8.40; yearlings $5.00@7.15; wethers $6.00@6.25; ewes $3.50@5.75; sheep mixed $5.75@6.00.

PRODUCE MARKETS

CHICAGO

Chicago, Jan. 20—Butter: unchanged.

Eggs—lower; receipts 3,616 cases; at mark cases included 25@32c; ordinary firsts 30c; firsts 32c.

Potatoes higher, receipts 20 cars; Michigan and Wisconsin red 35@40c; do white 38@45c.

Poultry alive lower; springs 12½c; fowls 13c.

CLEVELAND

Cleveland, Jan. 20.—Poultry alive, heavy fowls and springers 14@14½c; do light fowls and springers 13½c.

Potatoes, choice white stock from store 50c a bushel.

All other markets unchanged.

PROVISIONS CLOSE

Chicago, Jan. 20.—Pork: Jan. $18.35; May $18.97.

Lard: May $10.80; July $10.95.

Ribs: May $10.35; July $10.50.

SUGAR

New York, Jan. 20—The market for sugar futures, was easier today prompted by the more favorable weather reports from Cuba. At noon prices were about 2 to 8 points net lower with sales of 300 tons.

The spot market was steady and unchanged. No sales. Molasses, 3.18c; centrifugal, 3.95c; refined steady.

Futures closed stated 1 to 5 points lower. Feb., $2.89; May $3.06; June $3.13; July $3.19; Sept. $3.29. Sales 1400 tons.

MONEY MARKET

New York, Jan. 20.—Call money steady; high 2; low 1 7-8; ruling rate 2; last loan 2; closing bid 1 7-8; offered at 2.

METAL MARKET

New York, Jan. 20.—Tin market strong; 5 ton lots $34.05@34.75; 25 ton lots $34.00@35.00.

Copper firm; electrolic $14.00; castings $13.75. Iron quiet and unchanged.

COTTON

New York, Jan. 20—Cotton futures closed steady. Jan. 8.50c; Mar., 8.79c; May, 9.00c; July, 9.18c; Aug., 9.26c; Oct., 9.41c; Dec., 9.56c.

COFFEE

New York, Jan. 20—Coffee: Rio No. 7, 7⅝c; futures steady; Mar., 6.24c; May, 6.44c.

Keep your eye on my stock for that new suit you intend to buy.
McGARRY, The Tailor 821 GALLIA

TERMINALS

C. M. Ault, of the Barnes Sand and Gravel Company, of Piketon, O., was at the local N. & W. division headquarters Tuesday on business.

Dock Boyd, of Russell, Ky., was the guest of his parents, of Gallia pike, Tuesday.

The sidewalks on the north side of Gallia pike near the homes of George Carter and George Curtis, are low and always covered with water during a hard rain. The water has been forced to flow onto the sidewalks since the gutter was filled up.

The following notice has been received here: "F. B. Sheldon has been appointed vice-president of the Toledo & Ohio Central and the Zanesville and Western, with headquarters at Columbus, succeeding J. J. Bernet.

Miss Irene Schulz, of Poplar street, will entertain a number of friends at her home Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Edward Johnson, of 2016 Gallia pike, has as her guest for several days her sister, of Parkersburg, W. Va.

The personal injury report of Robert Morris, who was injured at Ironton, Monday, is the fourth personal injury report received at the superintendent's office since December 25th. Four injured in 24 days is quite a record. Safety First always pays.

N. & W. General Superintendent W. J. Jenks, with headquarters at Bluefield, and J. T. Carey, Scioto Division Superintendent, left Wednesday morning for Columbus.

N. & W. Demurrage Inspector W. H. Brinkman was a business visitor at the local division offices Tuesday.

The regular Thursday evening services will be held in the Tabernacle with F. B. Osborne in charge.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wallace, of Gallia pike, are visiting his father at Blackfork, O.

Edward Johnson, who is employed at Parkersburg, W. Va., has returned to his work after spending several days with his family at 2916 Gallia pike.

E. M. Draper, local chairman of the Order of Railway Conductors, with offices in Columbus, was a business caller at the local N. & W. division offices Tuesday.

Ms. Eva Snapp and family have moved from 2027 Gallia pike to 2041 Gallia pike.

Robert Snapp, Carl Warner, Jesse Warner and Richard Boyd, young men of this suburb, are forming a walking club. The four promoters of the club are employees of the Irving Drew shoe factory, and besides walking to and from work, have planned a number of long hikes for the summer months.

N. & W. Conductor Asa A. Moore, who was injured over a week ago, will be able to be out in about ten days. He is getting along nicely at his home on McConnell avenue.

Unclaimed Mail

The following unclaimed mail matter is in the Portsmouth postoffice:

Gentlemen:— H. E. Arthurs, W. J. Casey, George Clood, Loyd Denman, Edgar Dixin, Robert Fisher, Henry M. Frazer, John Hannah, F. H. Heisel, Samuel Lendon, Edwin H. Mockbee, W. C. Moore, R. M. Osborne, Will Ritchie, Willard Swartzbaugh, Luigi Zalva.

Ladies:—Mrs. Nettie Diltz, Mrs. Lizzie Hodge, Calla Illura, Mrs. Mary Jordan, Miss Maud Loudner, Mrs. Katie Noble, Mrs. John T. Salyer, Mrs. Nora Stiles, Mrs. Lollie Thacker, Mrs. Earnie Wright.

Miscellaneous:—Editor United Presbyterian.

Vallee Harold, P. M.

Stock wrecked. Store closed. Sale starts Friday. adv 1t

Was Working Not Walking

W. H. Willis, whose home near McDermott was destroyed by fire, wishes it known he was not out walking at the time of the fire, but that he was on his way home from the George Potts farm where he had been working. He is in the city circulating a petition for funds to send his wife and children to relatives in Findlay, O., till he is able to care for them here.

Prompt efficient service. Walters Plumbing Co. adv

KEEP URIC ACID OUT OF JOINTS

Tells Rheumatism Sufferers to Eat Less Meat and Take Salts.

Rheumatism is easier to avoid than to cure, states a well-known authority. We are advised to dress warmly; keep the feet dry; avoid exposure; eat less meat, but drink plenty of good water.

Rheumatism is a direct result of eating too much meat and other rich foods that produce uric acid which is absorbed into the blood. It is the function of the kidneys to filter this acid from the blood and cast it out in the urine; the pores of the skin are also a means of freeing the blood of this impurity. In damp and chilly cold weather the skin pores are closed thus forcing the kidneys to do double work, they become weak and sluggish and fail to eliminate the uric acid which keeps accumulating and circulating through the system, eventually settling in the joints and muscles causing stiffness, soreness and pain called rheumatism.

At the first twinge of rheumatism get from any pharmacy about four ounces of Jad Salts; put a tablespoonful in a glass of water and drink before breakfast each morning for a week. This is said to eliminate uric acid by stimulating the kidneys to normal action, thus ridding the blood of these impurities.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, harmless and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and is used with excellent results by thousands of folks who are subject to rheumatism. Here you have a pleasant effervescent lithia-water drink which helps overcome uric acid and is beneficial to your kidneys as well.

COLUMBIA
FEATURE PICTURES

FAMOUS PLAYERS TONIGHT
That Masterful Dramatic Star EDMUND BREESE in
"THE MASTER MIND"

5 reels with 212 scenes of the most intensely interesting pictures you ever saw. Mr. Breese appeared in this great play more than 1,000 times.

BIG ORDER FOR THE STEEL MILL

An order calling for ten carloads of galvanized sheeting and roofing was received Wednesday by the Portsmouth Steel Company from a Richmond, Va., firm. This department of the firm's plant has been working right up to the handle for several weeks.

General Manager Andrew Glass of the steel company was in Chicago Tuesday and practically secured another big order. This firm is always hustling for business and every effort is being put forth to keep the local plant running.

PIE SOCIAL COMING

Mrs. Martha Smith, Campbell avenue, a teacher of a Bible class of the Hutchins Street Baptist church, entertained her class last night at the home of Mrs. Mary Dodds of Mound street. Nineteen were present and arrangements were made to hold a Pie Social in the church basement Thursday evening, January 28. After the business session refreshments were served by the hostess who was asited by Mrs. Addie Haney.

LECTURE COURSE

Dean Richeson of Ohio University will lecture at the Methodist church, Sciotoville, O., on Friday, Jan. 22 at 8 p. m.

This is the second number of the Sciotoville High school lecture course.

Dean Richeson is a good talker and comes to us highly recommended.

Y. W. C. A. NEWS

The monthly board meeting will be held at the usual place and hour Thursday morning, January 21. All board members are urged to be present.

The Business Girls are planning another Indoor luning to be held at the Y. W. C. A. Hall next Tuesday evening. Supper will be served at six o'clock. A good time of games and other diversions is scheduled. Give your name and fifteen cents to one of the committee before Saturday evening. Any one of the following will be glad to welcome you: Misses Schlichter, Bertha Gamberline, Louise Fastnau, Goldie Patton, Beatrice Donahue, Elsie Tipton, Kathryn Markhum, Louise Goodman, Virginia Cryer, Grace Bruke, Jess Milstend, Ruth Jeffers, Nelle Wendelken, Mary Pirrung, Irma Neudoerfer, Ida Taylor, Lou Gordan, Myrtle Ziegler, Currie Bergen, Fannie Haffner, Gertrude Lordein.

The Boarding Home Girls were glad to welcome Miss Myrtle Shively into their midst again, also a new member Miss Edythe Roberts.

A Kensington Club is being talked in Association circles. If you are interested call up the Association we will be glad to give particulars. Just a hint. No extra fee to gain membership in this club.

Several basket ball teams are being organized. Would you like to get in one? If so call up Miss Crisenberry, the physical director. She can tell you all about it.

The Bible classes are growing in interest. Monday evening we had a good time studying the next Sunday's Sunday school lesson. Thursday evening the lesson is the tenth chapter of St. John Gospel. "Come and we will do thee good."

GAVE FINE BANQUET

Following the regular meeting of Scioto Chapter No. 9, Royal Arch Masons (colored), Mr. and Mrs. Ben L. Johnson entertained with a dinner at their home on Gay street in honor of H. C. Gillert, prominent colored Mason of Columbus, who has been in Portsmouth for the past two days inspecting the local Masonic bodies.

The table was adorned with a beautiful basket of flowers, roses, carnations and ferns. Covers were laid for the guest of honor, Leroy Johnson, Benjamin R. Bell, Joseph Johnson, Oliver Redman, John Slade, Joseph Crenshaw and the host, Ben L. Johnson. A tempting four course dinner was served, which was keenly relished.

Officers of Scioto Chapter were warmly praised by Mr. Gilbert, who conducted the inspection. The degree of Mark Master was conferred upon one candidate, Barry Lamy.

Big Shoe, Hat and Shirt Sale at the London Shop, Friday 9 a. m. adv 20-1

Mrs. Rebecca Wash, of Gay street, is dangerously ill with pneumonia. She is 77 years old.

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MADE IN AMERICA
Laxative Tablets Get Results

Get Results!!

That's it. Get results. And Sent-a-nels get results. Purely vegetable, candy-coated, they are not only a quick, effective remedy for the ills due to clogged bowels, lazy liver or stomach full of fermenting waste, for Sent-a-nels have tonic force. They build, they develop, they vitalize by purifying and enriching the blood. Have your druggist send you a box of this great American made remedy to-night. 10 doses 10 cents. Sentanel Remedies Co., Inc., Covington, Ky.

SUSPECTS BROTHER OF KNOWING ABOUT FIRE

Mrs. Ed Hammond appealed to the police authorities Wednesday to arrest her brother, Clarence Dunlap, whom she suspects of knowing something about the fire at the Brushart barn, the upper portion of which is occupied by Mrs. Hammond and husband.

Mrs. Hammond told the officials that her brother had made threats a week ago to burn her alive, all because she had put an end to his borrowing money from her husband, who is employed at a brick plant east of the city. She said Hammond is a hardworking man and so economical and saving that he never spends car fare, always walking to and from work. Her brother had formed a habit of borrowing money from Hammond until he owed him eleven dollars. Next time he came for more she interfered, telling him to stay away, if that was all he came for, as her husband was too hard a working man to lose his money in such a way. This so enraged him that he made threats to come there some night and "burn her up," she said.

Officer Roy Moore was detailed to take young Dunlap into custody, but he was not at his home in an alley house near Eighth and Court streets and had not yet been located up to a late hour Wednesday afternoon.

Druggist George Wurster believes that he saw the man who may have set fire to the Brushart barn. He was standing at Fourth and Sinton streets late Tuesday night talking to Walter Schuyler about bowling, when a bareheaded young man came rushing towards them. He was covered with straw and snow and asked the direction of the mayor's office, saying a man had assaulted him. A moment or two later the fire was discovered.

Opens Up New Shop

Joseph Loviner, well known plumber, who was formerly connected with the Central Machine and Repair Company, has opened a first-class plumbing and heating shop in the rear of his home at 1541 Fifth street. He is an expert workman and expects to get his share of the plumbing business carried on in Portsmouth.

Granted Divorce

Judge Thomas awarded a decree of divorce in common pleas court Wednesday afternoon to Aurilla Shonkwiler, from Francis Shonkwiler, formerly of Madison township, on the grounds of wilful absence and neglect of duty. The evidence showed Shonkwiler deserted his wife and child in 1910 and is now at New Holland, Pickaway county. Mrs. Shonkwiler was also granted custody of her five-year-old child. She was represented by Attorney George W. Sheppard.

Asks A Divorce

Suit for divorce was filed in common pleas court Wednesday afternoon by Attorneys Milner, Miller and Searl, representing George G. Oldfield, city, against Mary E. Oldfield. The husband alleges extreme cruelty and gross neglect of duty and asks the award of custody of the children. The couple were married May 23, 1900, and have two children.

Inspects Plant.

[illegible] representative of [illegible] Fire Brick and Clay [illegible] of Chicago was a business visitor in Portsmouth Wednesday. He spent Tuesday at the company's plant at Scioto, this county.

Mrs. [illegible] Devon of North [illegible] street left Wednesday for [illegible] where she was called by the critical illness of her father, R. W. King, who is past 80 years old.

Woman's Prompt Action Prevents Destruction

FIRST FIRE OF YEAR 1915 IS INCENDIARY

Portsmouth's first 1915 fire proved to be a small blaze, thought to have been of incendiary origin, which did slight damage to the interior of the barn in the rear of J. J. Brushart's residence at 423 Waller street, about midnight Tuesday night. It was the first fire alarm turned in to the department in twenty-four days.

Mrs. Ed Hammond, who occupies the second floor of the barn, claims that she heard some one open the door of the barn about 11:30. Shortly after that she says she smelled smoke and went below to investigate. There she found a pile of straw burning briskly, which she partially extinguished by throwing water on the flames. Firemen from the East End company completed the task with chemicals. The damage was very slight.

Footprints in the fresh snow were traced from the door of the barn to the corner of Second and Sinton, where the trail was lost with that of other footsteps. Firemen are of the opinion that the footprints were those of the man whom Mrs. Hammond heard at the door. A more thorough investigation will follow, as Chief McOuat has reported the matter to the state fire marshal's office.

The Seventh street and East End companies made the run and considerable difficulty was experienced in locating the blaze. The East End company was about to leave, with the belief that the alarm was a false one, when they were directed to the barn by neighbors.

Insure with Marvin C. Clark, First National Bank building.

Enjoys A Prosperous Year

Ohio Stove Company Elects Its Directors

At the annual meeting of the Ohio Stove company held Wednesday afternoon, Mrs. George M. Appel was elected a director to succeed her late husband, George M. Appel. Other directors are Simon Labold, Henry F. Bertram, Robert G. Bryan and L. C. Turley.

The directors effected organization by electing the following officers: Robert G. Bryan president and treasurer and Henry Bertram vice president and secretary.

Mr. Bertram stated Wednesday that the past year was eminently satisfactory to the firm and that 1915 would no doubt bring its full share of prosperity to this progressive and hustling firm.

To Cure Catarrhal Deafness and Head Noises

Persons suffering from catarrhal deafness and head noises will be glad to know that this distressing affliction can be successfully treated at home by an internal remedy that in many instances has effected a complete cure after all else has failed. Sufferers who could scarcely hear a watch tick have had their hearing restored to such an extent that the tick of a watch was plainly audible seven or eight inches away from either ear.

Therefore, if you know someone who is troubled with head noises or catarrh, or catarrhal deafness, cut out this formula and hand to them, and you will have been the means of saving some poor sufferer perhaps from total deafness. The prescription can be prepared at home, and is made as follows:

Secure from your druggist 1 oz. Parmint (Double Strength), about 75c worth. Take this home, and add to it 1-4 pint of hot water and 4 oz. of granulated sugar; stir until dissolved. Take one tablespoonful four times a day.

The first dose should begin to relieve the distressing head noises, headache, dullness, cloudy thinking, etc., while the hearing rapidly returns as the system is invigorated by the tonic action of the treatment. Loss of smell and mucus dropping in the back of the throat, are other symptoms that show the presence of catarrhal poison, and which are often entirely overcome by this efficacious treatment. Nearly ninety per cent of all ear troubles are said to be directly caused by catarrh, therefore, there must be many people whose hearing can be restored by this simple home treatment.

Every person who is troubled with head noises, catarrhal deafness or catarrh in any form, should give this prescription a trial.

Mrs. McAuley Gets Divorce

Final entry in the much talked of divorce case of Anna McAuley against R. H. McAuley, heard before Mark Crawford, master commissioner, at Wakefield, Pike county, several days ago, was filed Wednesday. By the decision the wife is granted a divorce and restored to her former name of Anna Andrews. No alimony was awarded because the property is wholly encumbered with debts.

Mrs. McAuley, however, was awarded $50 as her dower in the estate, which amount was ordered paid to her attorney, N. B. Gilliland. The entry also dismissed the suit of the husband in the Pike county courts for $350 for alleged care of his wife's five children by a former husband.

Divorce Case On Thursday

The divorce case of Lucinda Burt against Calvin A. Burt has been assigned for hearing on Thursday afternoon at one o'clock. Milner, Miller & Searl represent the plaintiff, and Geo. W. Sheppard the defendant.

Receives Commission.

Squire John W. Byron is the second Scioto countain to receive a notarial commission, signed by Governor Frank B. Willis. It arrived Wednesday, and goes into effect Jan. 26th when his former commission expires.

LOOKS INTO BARN FIRE

Before leaving for Columbus, Wednesday afternoon, Fire Marshal Ed Donovan made an investigation of the J. J. Brushart fire. He stated that he would return Monday to continue the investigation. There were foot-prints leading from the barn and they may result in a tangible clue.

Administrator Appointed

Dennis Burton was appointed by Probate Judge Beatty Wednesday afternoon as administrator of the estate of Joseph Burton, late of Lucasville. The estate is appraised at $100.

Cases Dismissed

Entries dismissing the divorce cases of Elishe Tolliver against Nettie M. Tolliver and Anna Rohrbach were placed upon the common pleas court journal Wednesday.

STEEL CO. TO ERECT AN OFFICE BUILDING

An office building that will meet their requirements in every way, which will provide suitable quarters in which to look after all clerical work and which when ready for occupancy will represent an outlay of from $25,000 to $35,000 will be built by the Portsmouth Steel Company, it was officially announced Wednesday.

The building is to be built of pressed brick and stone and will be located at the head of Vine St. New Boston which officials say is an ideal location for an office building.

The building will be three stories in heighth and coupled with the announcement that the firm would build such a structure, which it has needed to house its big office force was the admission that plans and specifications for the structure have been completed and at present are in the Wheeling offices of the Portsmouth Steel Company. No definite date has been fixed as to when actual work will begin, but it is said that this will not be later than next summer.

The office building will provide for a suite of private offices for the officials, a large drafting room, one whole floor is to be occupied by a restaurant and there will be offices designed especially for the sales department, order department, selling force and timekeepers.

When the offices are moved from the sixth and seventh floors of the First National bank building they will be located temporarily in the old office building near the firm's plant in New Boston. The new building is to be an attractive building design.

The first office to go back to New Boston will be the advertising department and it will be moved back there Thursday. John L. Grimes is in charge of this office.

Get Your Tags

"Despite the fact that an automobile owner is subject to a fine for each day he hasn't equipped his car with a 1915 tag I have seen many cars without them," said a prominent machine owner, Wednesday. He said he had counted more than 30 cars today that had 1914 tags dangling from them.

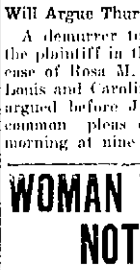
Will Argue Thursday

A demurrer to the petition of the plaintiff in the $2000 damage case of Rosa M. Osborne against Louis and Caroline Korth will be argued before Judge Thomas in common pleas court Thursday morning at nine o'clock.

WOMAN WOULD NOT GIVE UP

Though Sick and Suffering; At Last Found Help in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Richmond, Pa. — "When I started taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I was in a dreadfully rundown state of health, had internal troubles, and was so extremely nervous and prostrated that if I had given in to my feelings I would have been in bed. As it was I had hardly strength at times to be on my feet and what I did do was by a great effort. I could not sleep at night and of course felt very bad in the morning, and had a steady headache.



"After taking the second bottle I noticed that the headache was not so bad, I rested better, and my nerves were stronger. I continued its use until it made a new woman of me, and now I can hardly realize that I am able to do so much as I do. Whenever I know any woman in need of a good medicine I highly praise Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound." — Mrs. FRANK CLARK, 3146 N. Tulip St., Richmond, Pa.

Women Have Been Telling Women

for forty years how Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has restored their health when suffering with female ills. This accounts for the enormous demand for it from coast to coast. If you are troubled with any ailment peculiar to women why don't you try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound? It will pay you to do so. Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

MARTING'S

THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY WILL BE

COAT DAYS

IN OUR GREAT JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE

You will never have such great opportunities like these again, so come and get a share in this splendid bargain assortment.

COATS FORMERLY UP TO $10.00
Women's and Misses' sizes in this lot, plain and novelty effects in good styles and well made garments. All go at **$3.95**

COATS FORMERLY UP TO $15.00
In this assortment are Misses' and Women's styles in Blacks and colors. A splendid assortment to close out at only **$7.95**

COATS FORMERLY UP TO $20.00
A choice lot of good style Women's Coats that are made of Novelties, plain colors and Black cloth. Your choice for **$9.75**

COATS FORMERLY UP TO $30.00
This is the big selling assortment in the department and includes a great many exclusive styles that go at only **$14.95**

COATS FORMERLY UP TO $40.00
All the highest grade material and the very choice styles that are to be had in Black and Furette styles for **$19.75**

CHILDREN'S COATS AT HALF PRICE!

Come this week, the prices are the lowest.

$5.00 values for $2.50	$ 8.50 values for $4.25
$6.50 values for $3.25	$10.00 values for $5.00
$7.50 values for $3.75	$12.50 values for $6.25

RIVER BILL PASSES HOUSE; $3,184,000 FOR OHIO WORK

Washington, Jan. 20—The rivers and harbors appropriation bill went to the senate today, following its passage by the house by an overwhelming vote. It will now be referred by the senate to its conference committee for report. A lively contest is promised when the bill is taken up for consideration in the senate.

The bill passed the house by a vote of 161 to 81, shortly after midnight last night, virtually as reported by the rivers and habors committee. The house was in continuous session for more than twelve hours.

Several minor items were eliminated from the bill. As the bill went to the senate it carried appropriations of more than $34,000,000 for continuance of existing waterway projects, with provision for examinations and surveys in various places. No provision is made for new projects.

The larger allotments of the appropriations include $7,387,000 for the Mississippi river and $3,184,000 for the Ohio.

WITH THE SICK

Mrs. Minnie Anstead, local visiting nurse, who has been in the Hempstead hospital for ten days, returned to her home on Gay street, Tuesday evening. While her condition is improved it will be several days before she will be able to take up her work again.

Friends of Chester Lloyd will be pleased to learn that he continues to recover steadily from his recent operation for appendicitis. He will probably be able to return from the Mt. Carmel hospital in Columbus next Monday.

Mrs. Mayme Schaefer, wife of Dr. Wm. Schaefer, received word from Escanaba, Mich., Wednesday, that her father, William Doyle, was dangerously ill with pneumonia. Mrs. Schaefer will leave Thursday morning for her father's bedside.

DANGEROUS DEBILITY

Debility may result from a number of causes—worry, after-effects of acute illness, lack of nourishment due to disordered digestion, or anything that makes the blood thin, thereby preventing it from carrying health and nourishment to the tissues of the body.

The symptoms of debility vary but weakness is always present, often a tendency to fatigue easily, ringing in the ears, black spots passing before the eyes, weak back, dizziness, wakefulness caused by inability to stop thinking, and unrefreshing sleep.

Debility is dangerous because it weakens the body's defence against disease. For instance, debilitated people take cold easily and winter is always a trying time for them. When one cold follows another the system surely needs building up.

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TRYING TO GET TRACE OF ALLEGED MURDERER

W. M. Williams, of Fourth and Gay streets, was taken into custody by Officer Callahan Smith at the instance of Mayor Frick and while ostensibly detained for alleged selling stolen property is really detained in the hope he will reveal the present whereabouts of his father John Williams, who is wanted in Clinton county, Ohio, for murder.

Williams admitted having been in touch with his father up to two months ago since when he said he had not heard a word from him. He was then in Morgan county, Kentucky. Williams said his father had trouble with a tenant named John Spraddling and shot him last July. He escaped on a motorcycle, coming to Portsmouth and spending four days with a son-in-law, Jack Williams at the head of Dry Run. He said he then went to Eastern Kentucky but became known and disappeared. He said his brother Milford Williams had visited him there a couple of times and supplied him with money. He himself had disposed of his father's property. Asked if he would help the officers locate his father he said he would not feel disposed to do so.

Mayor Frick has been in correspondence with the Clinton county authorities for some time. While investiating the disappearance of Clay Cantrill the local officials learned that a young man named Cantrill had hired a livery outfit and driven Williams to a point opposite Greenup, Ky., shortly after his coming here.

Williams is being held on a charge preferred by John Briggs of Second street for selling a team of horses to him which the latter afterwards had to surrender to his brother Milford Williams of Blanchester, at quite a monetary loss. W. M. Williams had simply hired the team, it was said, for some West Side road work and had no right to sell the horses. He, however, claims he had contracted for them and that his brother owed him money.

It is said the father is now in Canada.

Gives Up Job

Milt Hass has given up his position as clerk at Leist & Nutt's grocery to accept a similar one with Freshour Bros.

Hense V. Nave, of Cincinnati, is in Portsmouth on a few days' business trip. Mr. Nave is interested in several local enterprises.

OBITUARY

Cornelius Molster

Cornelius Molster, aged 73 years, a retired stationary engineer, and one of the best known citizens of Portsmouth, died at the home of his son, Harry H. Molster, of No. 1123 Eighth street, Wednesday morning, at 1:30.

Mr. Molster had been suffering with cirrhosis of the liver for the past five years, but had been bedfast only one week. He was born and reared in Portsmouth, the son of Martin Molster, a pioneer settler of Portsmouth and a skilled ironworker of the early days of the rolling mill industry of this city, and who was at different times fire chief and street commissioner of Portsmouth.

Mr. Molster followed the river for a number of years as a marine engineer, spent eleven years in the Seventh street fire department and sixteen years in the city water works, as an engineer. His wife died eight years ago.

Mr. Molster was a lifelong member of the First Baptist church of this city, and the funeral services will be conducted at the church Friday afternoon at one o'clock by the pastor, Rev. T. H. McAfee. He was also a member of the National Association of Stationary Engineers.

The deceased is survived by two sons, Edward C., of Los Angeles, Cal., and Harry H., of 1123 Eighth street, this city; four grandchildren, three in this city and one residing at Berkely, Calif.; and one brother, James, of 822 Third street. Other relatives and a legion of friends mourn the death of this sterling citizen.

Ora Tussey

A telegram received Wednesday from Supt O. O. Fordyce, of the Athens state insane asylum told of the death there this morning of Ora Tussey, a local labarer. Tussey lived at Fourteenth and Union street. He was committed to the asylum only a week ago. He leaves a wife. The remains are expected to arrive here tonight.

Frank Basham

Mrs. Henry Fairtrace received the sad news today of the death of her uncle, Mr. Frank Basham, on January 10, at his home in Myers Falls, Washington, where he leaves a wife and six grown children, besides two sisters, Mrs. Allen Shump, of Batavia, Mrs. Virginia Bryant, of Canton and one brother, T. J. Basham, of New Boston. He was near 60 years of age and has been ill with lung trouble for three months. Mr. Basham was born and raised on the old Basham home place on the Gallia pike above New Boston and has been living in the West for the past fifteen years. The burial took place at Fort Myers.

Nella Gordon

In loving remembrance of our darling, who died January 2, 1915, at about 4 p. m.:

Dear Nella, the moon and stars are beaming
Upon your little grave.
There sleepeth, without dreaming,
The one we loved and could not save.
For God, Who sent His angel,
Who with his sickle keen,
Reaped from our home an angel
As bright as a star of heaven beams.
Heaven now retains our treasure,
Earth the barren casket keeps.
Where the sunlight loves to linger,
Where our little darling sleeps.
Our loving chain is broken
Since our darling is not here;
We miss those little foot-steps,
We miss her everywhere.
Our home is dark without thee.
You are gone, but not forgotten.
You have said good-bye, but not forever:
The chain so sweet of love begotten
Will draw us in Heaven together.

adv 20-1t R. C. LAMBLIN.

LIABILITIES $10,000

Liabilities of the People's Cash Store on Gallia street, formerly conducted by W. C. Evans, who left the city during the latter part of December, will aggregate $10,000, according to a statement made by Edward Cunningham, the receiver, Wednesday. The assets will hardly total $2,000, he added.

Invoices for goods for which there is no accounting are arriving daily. No word has been received from Evans since he left the city, and his whereabouts are unknown.

ROYAL RESIDENCE A TARGET FOR RAIDERS, SHOW SKILL IN WORK

King's Lynn, England, (Via London), Jan. 20.—The streets of Kings Lynn are this morning virtually paved with glass, and souvenir hunters have been picking up pieces of bombs.

An outstanding feature of the raid appears to have been the skill with which the German airmen, in the darkness, followed their route and dropped bombs in the vicinity of King George's house at Sandringham and Queen Mother Alexandra's bungalow at Snettisham, as well as at the docks, water works and railroad station here and at the Grimston ammunition depot.

According to the police raiders circled twice over Kings Lynn and dropped bombs in the neighborhood of the railroad station and the docks. Three missiles fell close to the station and wrecked the sheds in which the Royal railroad coaches were housed. One or more bombs were dropped along the water front among the docks, and damage was inflitced on the hydraulic engine house.

The dense darkness and the slight mist which prevented effective pursuit of, or successful shooting at the raiders, also hindered them in their efforts to reach some of their apparent objectives, and also to aim their bombs with the maximum of accuracy. Thus, the visit to Sandringham, which King George and Queen Mary left at 10 o'clock yesterday morning was not effective although some of the bombs were dropped in the vicinity of the Royal residence.

SOCIAL NEWS

Mrs. E. E. Hacquard's Sunday school class of the Sciotoville M. E. church was entertained at the teacher's home Tuesday evening. Games, music and a bean hunt were the diversions of the evening. Miss Ella Taylor won first prize, a hand-painted bon bon dish in the bean hunt. Miss Taylor found 100 beans. Miss Emma Bentine who was only able to find two beans won the booby prize, a lead pencil. Mrs. Hacquard was assisted by Mrs. Charles Marting, Mrs. Carey Walden and Mrs. Steven A. Stewart.

After the games were over the guests were served the following menu in the beautifully decorated dining room: pimento sandwiches, white and dark cake, pickles and orange-ade. The following were present: Misses Ella Taylor, Rose Bentine, Irene Brant, Addie Steadman, Kathleen Manuel, Emma Bentine, Elizabeth Burke, Belle Hitchcock, Bess Todd and Messrs. S. E. Moorehead, Orville Purdy, Horace Beloat, Alfred Moore and Robert Trumbull.

Mrs. Charles Miller and children have returned to their home in Wheeling after an extended visit to Mrs. Miller's parents, Capt. and Mrs. Adam Buch, of Fourth street.

Miss Maude Ziegler, clerk in the office of Tax Assessor John R. Hughes, went to Cincinnati Wednesday on a short visit.

L. B. Rhodes, of Fourth street, has gone to Richmond, Va., to pay a visit to relatives.

3 INCHES OF SNOW

There was a three-inch fall of snow Tuesday night and Wednesday morning, according to Weather Observer Dr. Harry Schirrmann. Snow began falling gently at 10 o'clock Tuesday night.

Plan To Protest Paving Of Pike

Business men and automobile dealers have become interested in a move to have the state highway department postpone the proposed paving of two and a quarter miles of pike on the West Side between Union Mills and Dry Run, pending completion of proposed improvements on the Chillicothe and Gallia pikes. Petitions are being circulated protesting against immediate paving of the road.

Parties interested claim that with the simultaneous improvement of all three principal arteries of traffic to the city business would be greatly jeopardized and the city practically shut off from the rest of the county and the state. As the proposed strip of road in question is in excellent shape, the promoters claim that a temporary postponement of the paving would inconvenience no one.

DARKEN YOUR GRAY HAIR

Look Young! Stop Falling Hair!

If your hair is gray, streaked with ... faded or falling, even if coming out in handfuls and you want beautiful, ... thick and abundant, free from dandruff, simply apply Q-Ban Hair Color Restorer to hair and scalp, ... shampoo, rubbing it in gently with finger tips. To use Q-Ban is ... nothing else is required. ... your hair soft, fluffy, silky, giving the hair that dark lustre ... luster and abundance which makes the hair so attractive. Q-Ban is not sticky or messy; harmless, and is a delightful hair dressing. Also stops falling hair or itching scalp. ... to darken gray hair or no ... Try it. Big 7-oz. bottle only ... Sold by Stewart's Drug Store, ... Ohio. Out-of-town people supplied by mail.—Advt.

RIVER 34 FEET

The Ohio river by 3 p. m. Wednesday had reached the 34ft. mark here and another foot was expected by morning. There is a gap between this rise and the Pittsburgh water which should cause the river to rise another foot or two here. The Kanawha river was falling Wednesday.

INJURED IN A FALL

Miss Hazel Marks, of Sciotoville, swooned, fell, received a large cut over her right eye and knocked out one tooth at her home Tuesday evening. She was unconscious for 20 minutes.

Motion Argued

A motion for a new trial in the damage case of the Interstate Transfer and Storage company against the Portsmouth Street Railroad and Light company was argued before Judge Thomas, Wednesday afternoon by Attorneys Milner, Miller and Searl, representing the defendant. Banand Bannon and Meyer, were attorneys for the plaintiff, who recovered $300 damages for the loss of a team of mules killed by a live wire on Washington street over a year ago.

Judge Thomas passed the motion to give the attorneys time to file briefs.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kinnamon, of Sciotoville, are the proud parents of a baby son, who arrived Tuesday morning. The happy "daddy" is a steel worker.

A son was born Tuesday evening to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Warren of Gallia street. Mr. Warren is employed at the N. & W. terminals.

NO LIQUOR SHIPMENTS

Word was received at the local Southern Express office from Supt. J. L. Vance, of Louisville, Ky., Wednesday, not to accept any more liquor shipments for West Virginia. This is a result of the decision just given by the liquor commissioner of that state.

A carload of concrete mixers arrived here from Noblesville, Ind., Wednesday for the Garfield school building job.

Hospital News.

Mrs. Nina Smith of Ruggles, Ky. was dismissed from the Hempstead hospital Wednesday.

Mrs. Nora Conklin of 2220 Eighth street, was admitted Wednesday and will be operated upon.

Mrs. Olive Sprague of 817 Twelfth street, was dismissed on Wednesday.

Miss Edna Wiget, of 1817 Oakland avenue, was admitted Wednesday. She will undergo an operation for appendicitis Thursday.

Mrs. Verna Seaff of 1126 Fifteenth street, underwent a delicate surgical operation, Wednesday.

Stock of London Shop wrecked for sale Friday. adv 1t

Joseph Bildman, aged retired German shoemaker, who has been ill for some time past at his home, corner of Front and Jefferson streets, was reported much weaker Wednesday.

S. F. Lindsay of 1810 Waller street, left this morning for Martinsville, Ind., to be treated at Hot Springs for rheumatism. Mr. Lindsay expects to be there for several weeks.

Anderson-Newcomb Co. Elects Officers

W. B. Anderson returned Wednesday from Huntington, where he attended the annual stockholders meeting of the Anderson-Newcomb Drygoods company held Tuesday night.

The following directors were elected: Charles N. Anderson, W. B. Anderson, Mrs. Lou Warwick Anderson, W. H. Newcomb and Don Miller. The directors organized by electing the following officers: Charles N. Anderson, president, W. B. Anderson, vice-president, and W. H. Newcomb, secretary and treasurer. The firm closed the best year of its career it was announced Wednesday.

To Install New Court

The new Court of Ben Hurs which was to have been installed at Wheelersburg, January 26, will not be installed until February 2 on account of repairs being made to the hall. The new Court will start off with 35 members.

ECZEMA ITCHED FOR 20 YEARS—RESINOL CURED

Dec. 8, 1913: "I had eczema for 20 years. It started on me when I was but 13 years old and am now 31, and have suffered all these years. It started with small pimples all over my face, arms and hands. My hands would swell up so that I could not shut them, and I was almost blind. It would itch, then burn, and I had to keep the affected parts wrapped up so that I would not scratch them. I couldn't sleep at all—just walked the floor a whole night.

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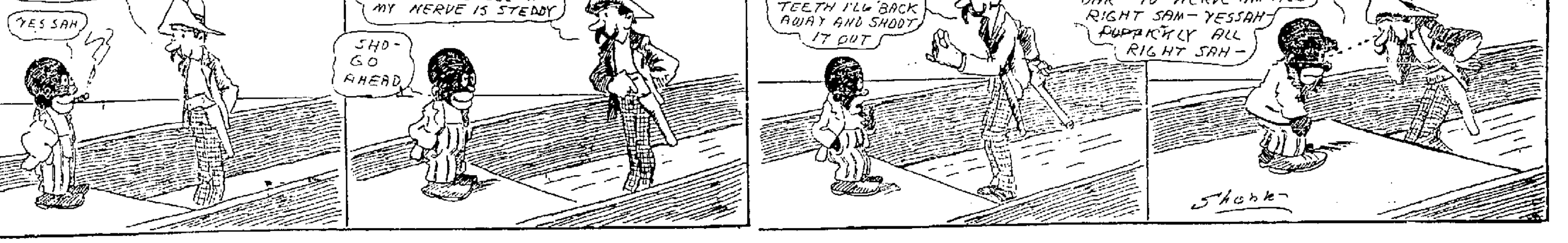

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Dear Miss Wise.—How would you tell a fellow if you did not care for his company?
YOURS TRULY.

Just simply tell him you don't care for his company, that's all.

Dear Dolly.—Would you please tell us the name of the Times boy on Route No. 22?
CHUMS.

I do not know. Call up the circulation manager. Phone 446.

Dear Miss Wise.—Is it all right for a boy to kiss a girl good night?
McDERMOTT KID.

I should say not. You are liable to get some kind of a disease, and besides it is very unladylike, little one.

Dear Dolly.—Is it all right for a girl to make up with a strange boy whom you'd never seen before?
GIDDY GAD.

No, never speak to anyone unless you are properly introduced.

Dear Dolly.—I am a girl seventeen years old and had been going with a young man for a year and he quit me the other night and I can't do anything for thinking of him. Can you tell me what to do? Please advise me.
ELIZABETH.

Get another beau. Be independent and act as though you were glad he quit you. That is the quickest way to get him back if he cares anything about you. Don't run after him whatever you do.

Dear Dollie.—I hav a lloviey sweet hart on a toe Bolt and he has Been gone sixteen days and i have not heard from him sene he has Been gone and i am jist so trubled to deth so Pleas give me advice.
MARRY JANE.

Probably he is still floating up or down the river and hasn't had a chance to write you. He'll probably be back this way ere long, so don't worry your little head off, Mary Jane.

Miss Wise.—Will mercolized wax injure the skin? My face is rough and I have been advised to use it. Thanking you.
PEGGY.

Having never used the lotion you mention, I'm not in a position to say whether it is injurious or not. However, if a friend recommended it to you it must be all right.

Dear Dolly.—Please tell me where I can get quick lime?
TIMES READER.

You can get it at any feed store.

Dear Miss Wise.—As I have wooden legs I need a pair of wooden shoes. The Modern Woodmen did not have any. Woodenshu tell me please where I could obtain a pair?
STUMP.

You can get them at a hardware store or else have a carpenter make 'em. That's easy, Stump.

North Kenova, O.—Dear Miss Wise.—I thought I would write to you to ask you how I could win a girl friend back that I went with for a while and then she got another fellow. I gave her a box for a Christmas present, but she never said boo about it. Inform me how I can get her back?
DON.

Whatdya mean you give her a box for Xmas, Don? Was it an empty box? If you want her back just go after her. Ask to call on her and take her places, and be so nice to her that the other man won't have a ghost of a show. Remember a faint heart never won a fair maiden, my dear boy.

Washington, C. H., O., Jan. 17.—Dear Miss Dolly.—You are so good to help others that I thought I would send you a few "helps" that may aid you in answering numerous requests. I saw an inquiry for a good hand lotion. I send formula for one that is economical and beneficial, especially for rough, dry skin: Cook for a long time 5 cents worth of quince seed, when done there should be one-half pint thick jelly. Strain and add 5 cents worth of glycerine, 5 cents worth of bay rum and 10 drops of carbolic acid if wished. For calloused hands use pumice stone to rub off dead skin. I often see a request for a sure remedy for warts. This is positive: Touch the warts several times a day with glacial acetic acid and they will disappear in several days.

I admired your advice to the young men whose incomes did not permit their giving fine Xmas presents. Thoughtless girls can make good boys feel awfully bad over such matters.
MRS. J. L.

Dear Miss Wise.—I have a young man friend who is corresponding with another young lady. Please tell me how to find out which one he thinks the most of.
M. M.

He probably doesn't think any more of one than the other. He has a right to correspond with as many girls as he wants to so long as he doesn't make love to them or make them believe he is going to pop the question some day.

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SOCIETY

The W. C. T. U. met in regular session last Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Hattie Bryant, of Findlay street. A most enjoyable evening was spent by the members, which was followed by a two-course luncheon, served by the hostess. The next regular meeting will be on February 15th at the home of Mrs. Mary E. Goff.

Invitations were issued Wednesday for an informal Elks' dance on Friday evening, January 22nd, at the Elk building. Music will be furnished by the Davidson Trio. Dancing will begin at 8:30 o'clock and continue until 12. The committee is composed of Evan C. Williams, Chalmer T. Davis and Ernest P. Kelley.

Mrs. George A. Ditty was elected as delegate to the state convention in Toledo next April, at the regular meeting of River City Grove No. 94, Woodmen Circle, held Tuesday evening in Haragari hall. Three candidates, Miss Sarah Bishop, Miss Helen Davis and Albert Killen were initiated into membership with impressive ceremonies. The meeting was followed by an enjoyable lunch and social session.

Mr. and Mrs. William Rawlings, of Columbus, are visiting Portsmouth relatives and friends.

Mrs. James Thomson, of Offnere street, has gone to Montgomery, Ala., where she will spend a month with relatives and friends.

The Bigelow Ladies' Aid Society will serve supper Thursday evening at the church. The menu follows: Escalloped oysters, baked ham potatoes au gratin, slaw, pickles, jelly, hot rolls, home-made brown bread, ice cream, cake and coffee, 35 cents. adv. 20-1t

Mr. and Mrs. George D. Selby will leave February first over the Santa Fe for California, where they will spend about two months, making Los Angeles their headquarters and will also spend some time in San Francisco. They have shipped their car to Los Angeles where they will have the use of it during their stay in the West.

Mrs. John T. Breece and Mrs. Frank Appel will entertain the members of the Friday Afternoon Kensington Club with a luncheon Friday at the home of Mrs. J. T. Breece, on Eighth street.

The losing side in the contest of the Trinity Methodist Woman's Home Missionary Society are planning a delightful entertainment at the home of Mrs. Gilbert Monroe on the evening of January 29th, when the husbands will be the guests.

When Croup Comes Treat Externally

The old system of doing delicate little stomachs with nauseous drugs and opium syrups is wrong and harmful. Try the external treatment—Vick's "Vapo-Rub" Croup and Pneumonia Salve. Just rub a little over throat and chest and cover with a warm flannel cloth. The warmth of the body releases vapors of Pine Tar, Menthol, Thymol, and Eucalyptol, that loosen the choking phlegm and ease the difficult breathing immediately. One application at bedtime assures a sound night's sleep. Vick's is better than internal medicines for all forms of cold troubles. Three sizes—25c, 50c and $1.00.

VICKS Croup and Pneumonia SALVE

Mrs. William Burke was hostess at yesterday afternoon's meeting of the Matron and Maid Club at Seel's parlors. Her sister, Mrs. Charles Miller, of Wheeling, W. Va., and Mrs. Henry Sauter, of Roanoke, Va., were out of town guests. At the end of the game a delicious supper was served at the card tables. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Adolph Goodman, in two weeks.

Mr. W. F. Assman received word this morning of the arrival of a baby boy at the home of his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Assman, at their home in West Allis, Wis. The little one weighs 8 1-4 pounds.

The Clover Club held a large and interesting meeting last evening at the home of Miss Gladys Evans, on Gallia avenue, who was assisted by Miss Emma Johnson. Twenty-eight active members and one honorary member, Mrs. Alan G. Simpson, were present. The program was presented as follows:

Topic, "English Problem and Society Dramas."

Paper, "Who Are We?"—Sidney Grundy, Alfred Sutro, Henry Arthur Jones, Arthur Wing Pinero—Mrs. Metinger.

A Review—Pinero's Latest—Mrs. Albert Marting.

On Visiting An English Theatre—Mrs. Jordan.

During the social hour the hostesses were assisted by little Miss Gladys Larew Daty in serving the delicious refreshments. The next meeting will be held at the home of Miss Edna Marting, who will be assisted by Miss Leona Labold.

The Clio Club met last evening at the home of Miss Lucy Graham on Timmonds avenue, where there were fifteen members present. Miss Edith Elliott read the current events after which the evening was spent in social pleasures followed by refreshments. The next meeting will be held at the home of Miss Ruth Pray.

The Six Hand Euchre Club will meet Wednesday of next week at the home of Mrs. Adolph Gloekner.

The Hilltop Division of the Trinity Methodist Woman's Home Missionary Society met in business session last evening and made arrangements for a Colonial tea to be held February 22nd at the home of Mrs. D. E. Gardner, on Park avenue. Mrs. Tingle was the chairman of the committee. The committee for the program are Mesdames Charles Rice, Gilbert Monroe, D. E. Gardner and J. R. Coleman and the refreshment committee is Mrs. Dupre, Mrs. Gardner and Mrs. Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Donaldson have gone to Florida for a short stay.

Miss Ella Bender's class, C. O. E., of the German Evangelical church, met Monday evening at the home of Miss Mabel Knost, on Eleventh street, where there were seven of the nine members present as follows:

Misses Mabel Born, Edna Korth, Marie Torres, Emile Bender, Helen Grassman, Esther Muller. The absent members were Mrs. Margaret Hess and Miss Violet Smittle. After the regular business there was music by the members. The next meeting will be held at the home of Miss Edna Korth.

Try This If You Have Dandruff

There is one sure way that never fails to remove dandruff completely and that is to dissolve it. This destroys it entirely. To do this, just get about four ounces of plain, ordinary liquid arvon; apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

By morning most, if not all, of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it, no matter how much dandruff you may have.

You will find, too, that all itching and digging of the scalp will stop instantly and your hair will be fluffy, lustrous, glossy, silky and soft and look and feel a hundred times better.

You can get liquid arvon at any drug store. It is inexpensive, and four ounces is all you will need. This simple remedy has never been known to fail.

The Central W. C. T. U. met in regular session last evening at the home of Mrs. J. J. Davidson, on Fourth street, where there was a good attendance of members and four visitors, Mrs. Anna Clark and Mrs. B. S. Hughes, of the West Portsmouth Union, and Mrs. Arletta Wilson and son, Doskyl, of Jackson. This was a mothers' meeting and an interesting program was given, as follows:

Paper, "The Tactful Mother"—Mrs. J. P. Smith.

Youthful Labor Indispensable to Character Building"—Mrs. J. L. Creasy.

True Courtesy—Mrs. H. E. Kahman.

Parents' Mistakes—Mrs. Arletta Wilson.

At the end of the program and business another program was given during the social hour, as follows:

Paper, "The Scourge of the Republic"—Mrs. J. J. Davidson.

Paper, "Kindled Fires"—Mrs. Anna Clark.

Recitation, "Pat's Bondsmen"—Mrs. Wilson.

Recitation, "Mother, A Promise"—Mrs. Cooper.

A Frances E. Willard Memorial will be held on the evening of February 19th, in connection with the West Portsmouth W. C. T. U. The place will be announced later.

The next meeting of the Central W. C. T. U. will be held the first Thursday evening in February at Mrs. Davidson's home, where arrangements will be completed for the Frances E. Willard Memorial services.

The Woman's Literary Club will meet Friday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock, in the Woman's Club parlors. As this is the time for the payment of dues, will all members who have not done so, please attend to this as soon as convenient?

Eighty members of Mrs. William McCurdy's class of women of Trinity Methodist Sunday school met in social session yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Howard Sellards, on Offnere street, where the afternoon was spent in art needlework, followed by refreshments. The place for the next meeting was not decided.

The social meeting of the L. A. to B. of L. F. and E. held last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gleason, was an enjoyable affair. Cards were followed by a buffet lunch. Those present were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. John Barber, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Hogan and little daughter, Mesdames Sarah Ratliff, Devary, Bessie Swank, Pearl Mallow, Frank Davis, Miss Pendleton and the hostesses, Mrs. John Radcliff, Mrs. Earl Gleason and daughter, Beatrice. All departed for their homes at eleven o'clock, hoping to have another meeting in the near future.

Mrs. G. W. Chabot brought together the members of the T. H. B. club this afternoon at her home, 1803 Highland avenue where most of the members were present. Needlework was followed by dainty refreshments.

Section Number 3 of the First Christian church Woman's Union will meet Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Irvin Bowser, 1124 Tenth street. Every member should be present and visitors are welcome.

Emmett McKown came down from Ironton to spend the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Pauline McKown, and aunt, Mrs. W. S. Walker.

Parisian Sage, an inexpensive but refreshing hair tonic, sold by Wurster Bros. is just what you need to remove every bit of dandruff, stop scalp itch, and make the hair grow long, soft, fluffy and beautiful. adv

Mrs. Norma Hark Young arrived home today at noon from Springfield, Mo., where she left the Everywoman Company on account of a severe cold. Mrs. Young does not expect to join the company any more this season.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi D. York left St. Louis, Sunday, for Los Angeles, Cal., where they expect to arrive this evening.

The Knights of Columbus held one of their enjoyable dances last evening at the Ben Hur hall, where there were about sixty couples present. Messrs. John Russell, Henry Bourling, William Spitzer and C. E. Kean were the committee in charge. A number of people who do not dance indulged in a game of cards. Mrs. John Petry won the first favor for the women, a brass candelabra; Miss Elizabeth Seidel won the second, an individual salt and paper caster. Mr. Otto Emmert won a collar box and Mr. James Distel won the second favor for men, an ash-tray.

Miss Elsie Gall has returned from a short visit with home folks in Winchester.

"The Janes" met last evening at the home of Miss Ruth Faverty on Offnere street. Art needlework preceded refreshments. The next meeting will be held at the home of Miss Katherine Markham, with Miss Olive Cutler as assisting hostess.

The Evening Five Hundred Club will meet next Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Erma Neudoerfer, on Third street.

The Art Circle will meet tomorrow (Thursday) afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles E. Hard, on Franklin avenue.

Mrs. George Wilkerson was called to Columbus today on account of the serious illness of her little niece, Ruth White, who has pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Reed have moved from Grimes avenue to the Amann flats, corner of Offnere and Eleventh street.

The Dalton Auction Bridge Club will meet next Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Frank Adams.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Central Presbyterian church will hold the regular monthly coffee social Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Adolph Graf, 1733 Baird avenue.

Mrs. Harry Weller, of Bluefield, W. Va., and Mrs. Milton Longfellow spent today at the home of Mrs. E. D. Stevens.

Hotel Not Ready

Formal opening of the Norfolk Hotel at Tenth and Waller streets has been postponed until next Monday morning on account of the fact that the painters and decorators will not be able to complete their work until the latter part of the week. The new lessee, Morris Abrams, had hoped to open the hotel Wednesday morning.

The hotel is being repainted and repapered throughout, and all furniture will be entirely new. New beds, new carpets, curtains and other furnishings have already been received and are ready to be installed. When ready for occupancy the hotel will be one of the finest in the city.

W. J. Crabtree Will Filed

The will of William J. Crabtree, late of Morgan township, was admitted to probate Tuesday afternoon. The entire estate was bequeathed to the widow, who was named as administratrix. Upon her death the property is to be divided equally among the six children.

Ankle Sprained

Miss Minnie Stamm slipped on the cellar stairs at her home, 418 Third street, Tuesday evening at 5:30 o'clock and badly sprained her right ankle. She fell the length of several steps. Besides receiving a sprained ankle she was badly shaken up.

SOAP IS BAD FOR THE HAIR

Soap should be used very sparingly, if at all, if you want to keep your hair looking its best. Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and ruins it.

The best thing for steady use is just ordinary mulsified cocoanut oil (which is pure and greaseless), is cheaper and better than soap or anything else you can use.

One or two teaspoonfuls will cleanse the hair and scalp thoroughly. Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, which rinses out easily, removing every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excessive oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves the scalp soft, and the hair fine and silky, bright, lustrous, fluffy and easy to manage.

You can get mulsified cocoanut oil at any pharmacy, and a few ounces will supply every member of the family for months.

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May Extend Sewer

City Engineer George Wilhelm is thinking of submitting an estimate to Service Director William Gergens to extend the sanitary sewer now under construction at Ninth and Offnere streets north to Tenth through the alley west of Offnere. This would accommodate Martin McMahon and other property owners there and also give relief to the Stockham ice plant and the street railway power house.

1,000 Handkerchiefs at 1 cent each. The London Shop, Friday 9 a. m. adv 20-1

Must Move Fences.

Farmers along the Chillicothe pike, who have not moved their fences back where the law says they shall be placed following the paving of this thoroughfare were Wednesday notified to comply with the law by the State Highway Department.

Aunt Jemima's Buckwheat flour comes in white packages. Ask for it.

OUCH! BACKACHE! RUB LUMBAGO OR PAIN FROM BACK

Ah! Pain is gone!

Quickly?—Yes. Almost instant relief from soreness, stiffness, lameness and pain follows a gentle rubbing with "St. Jacobs Oil."

Rub this soothing, penetrating oil right on your painful back, and like magic, relief comes. "St. Jacobs Oil" is a harmless backache, lumbago and sciatica cure which never disappoints and doesn't burn the skin.

Straighten up! Quit complaining! Stop those torturous "stitches." In a moment you will forget that you ever had a weak back, because it won't hurt or be stiff or lame. Don't suffer! Get a small trial bottle of old honest "St. Jacobs Oil" from your druggist now and get this lasting relief.

TAKE NOTICE

that on the 21st day of Jan., 1915, I will sell at the Peerless House Furnishing Co. one household outfit for storage price.

Consisting of beds and bedding, tables, chairs, carpets, 7-piece parlor suite. These are all good goods. Other stuff too numerous to mention. Sale starts at 1 o'clock p. m. at

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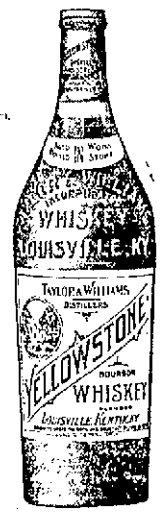

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Offer $50 Reward For Missing Girl

The Times has been asked by James W. Bradner, superintendent of the Ashland public schools, to print the following:

I will give $50 for positive information as to the whereabouts of Oleta Reeves, who disappeared from her home on Tuesday morning, January 12.

Description

Age 13 years, 11 months.
Height, 4 feet, 9 inches.
Weight, about 100 pounds, rather plump.
Brunette, slight freckles.
Hair, straight, brown bordering on red, rather long, usually combed straight back from face.

Talked rapidly, had the habit of shrugging shoulders when speaking.

When she left home she wore a red and white striped dress, black shoes, tan stockings, dull gray fascinator, long gray coat.

Was seen last Tuesday, January 12, about 8 o'clock a. m., on south side of Winchester avenue between 19th and 20th streets.

J. W. BRADNER,
Superintendent of Schools of Ashland, Kentucky.

Entices Girls?

Police Chief W. T. McCarty has deferred for further evidence the arrest of an aged man who is said to have formed a habit of enticing young girls of the East End to his home.

Rev. McAfee Praised By Ironton Paper

Under the head "The Unpardonable Sin Subject of Great Sermon Preached by Rev. McAfee" the Ironton Register gives a detailed account of a sermon given at the First Baptist church of Ironton by Rev. T. H. McAfee of this city. The Register in part says:

Rev. McAfee preached last evening at the First Baptist church on "The Unpardonable Sin" and it is doubtful if ever an Ironton audience was permitted to hear a sermon more profound in thought, more logical in its theology and more convincing in its portrayal of the truth. The purpose of God in the world has a few meaning today, to those who heard this message. The lost man does not know how utterly lost he is, neither does the saved man realize how completely he is saved. Nothing short of the complete sermon would do it justice, and indeed the knowledge it contains is of such vital importance to every accountable being, whether saint or sinner, that the greatest publicity possible should be given it.

Rev. McAfee said: "God has dealt with the world in three distinct periods. We are now living in the third and last period. During the first period God dealt direct. God was rejected, the people chose other Gods. God decided to punish his people with an everlasting punishment. Jesus, the only son offered to become this great sin and to die, that sinful man might live. The offer was accepted. The son came, and God dealt with his people through his son, but the son was rejected, and the third method of dealing with his people was made necessary. He sent the Holy Spirit, men had refused to come to Christ. The spirit came as an officer to lead men to Christ. There is no other way by which men may be saved, but by the blood of Jesus Christ, already shed. If men deal with the Spirit as they dealt with God and with Christ, there is no forgiveness for them either in this world or the next."

Safety First Men Had Fine Meeting

Declaring that Ohio's first Safety First Exposition was an unqualified success and that it served to impress upon the public most forcibly what steps the big corporations in the Buckeye State have taken to surround their employes with all sorts of safety appliances that have reduced accidents to a minimum, George McClure, John L. Grimes, John Milliken, A. J. McFarland and J. F. Morris of the Portsmouth Steel company have returned from Columbus, where the Exposition was held in the Memorial Hall.

"There were 92 booths and many of them contained splendid exhibitions of safety first material and the meeting was the greatest kind of a success" said Mr. McClure Wednesday. "The lectures were of great interest, the round table conferences that brought the hundreds of delegates in close touch with each other and the safety first pictures thrown on a huge screen all contributed to the success of the affair. The Portsmouth Steel company had a splendid exhibit of safety first equipment and hundreds of copies of its monthly pamphlet called 'Safety Hints' were distributed and read with interest" continued Mr. McClure.

The meetings were presided over by Victor T. Noonan, safety director of the Ohio Industrial Commission. More than 100 Ohio firms had representatives on the ground and according to Mr. McClure there was a general interchange of ideas that will make for the permanency of the safety first movement, which is rapidly impressing its importance upon the public.

Stock of London Shop wrecked for sale Friday. adv 1t

Returns To Chicago

Philip Appel, who was called here by the death of his brother, George M. Appel, returned Wednesday afternoon to Chicago, where he is engaged in the grocery business. His aged mother Mrs. Katherine Appel, of Offnere street, who suffered a nervous collapse a few days ago, is now much better.

HEADACHE, COLD OR SOUR STOMACH, REGULATE YOUR BOWELS--10 CENTS

Sick headaches! Always trace them to lazy liver; delayed, fermenting food in the bowels or a sick stomach. Poisonous, constipated matter, gases and bile generated in the bowels, instead of being carried out of the system, is reabsorbed into the blood. When this poison reaches the delicate brain tissue it causes congestion and that dull, sickening headache. Cascarets will remove the cause by stimulating the liver, making the bile and constipation poison move on and out of the bowels. One taken tonight straightens you out by morning—a 10-cent box will keep your head clear, stomach sweet, liver and bowels regular, and make you feel bright and cheerful for months. Children need Cascarets.

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Your cold will break and all grippe misery end after taking a dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" every two hours until three doses are taken."

It promptly opens clogged-up nostrils and air passages in the head, stops nasty discharge or nose running, relieves sick headache, dullness, feverishness, sore throat, sneezing, soreness and stiffness.

Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing and snuffling! Ease your throbbing head—nothing else in the world gives such prompt relief as "Pape's Cold Compound," which costs only 25 cents at any drug store. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, and causes no inconvenience. Accept no substitute.

ATTENTION S. W. V.

The regular semi-monthly meeting of the General Jacob H. Smith Camp of U. S. W. V. will be held Thursday (tomorrow) night at G. A. R. hall on Gallia street.

The newly installed officers will appreciate a good turn out.

LOUIS G. HEINIGER, Commander.
GEORGE C. BAUDER, Adjutant.

RIVER NEWS

Portsmouth, O., Jan. 20, 1915. (Observations taken at 8 a. m. 75th Meridian Time.)

	Flood stage Feet	Height of River Ft.	Change since last report	Precipitation last 24 h Inches
Franklin	15	7.0 R	+1.1	.04
Greensboro	18	14.5 F	+1.6	.00
Pittsburgh	22	17.2 F	+2.3	.04
Wheeling	36	24.5 R	+8.7	.01
Zanesville	25	14.3 R	+0.4	.02
Parkersb'g	36	22.3 R	+5.1	.10
Charleston	30	18.8 F	+1.4	.06
Pt Pleasant	39	29.5 R	+7.0	.08
Catlettsb'g	50	34.1 R	+5.9	.10
Portsmouth	50	33.2 R	+4.7	.12
Cincinnati	50	30.7 R	+1.3	.06

FORECAST

Fair over upper Ohio valley tonight and Thursday.

River will rise.

H. C. DONNALLEY, River Observer.

Rain and snow of the past few days have caused a general rise in the Ohio river which came up almost three feet here Tuesday night. The gauge Wednesday morning registered 33.2 feet. The packet Greyhound will leave here for Huntington Thursday at 3 p. m. Many of the big towboats have reached Pittsburgh with their empties and should get out on the present rise with another fleet of coal.

JEWELL IS MARRIED

Will Jewell, a popular N. & W. freight engineer of the Kenova district, stole a march upon his friends some days ago by slipping up to Echo, W. Va., and getting married. The bride was Miss Hannah Wilson, daughter of a prominent farmer of that place. They have gone to housekeeping in a nicely furnished home on Linden avenue.

WANTS BILL BOARD MOVED

Mayor Frick asked the Portsmouth Bill Posting company to remove its bill board at Seventh and Adams streets. The mayor says he fully realizes he has not the power to order it abandoned, nor would he want to assume such, but that residents of that vicinity complain that the board is not only unsightly but affords a hiding place for immoral characters.

Will Probe Fire

Edward L. Donovan, special deputy in the state fire marshal's department, was in Portsmouth on official business Tuesday. He will return next Monday to conduct an investigation as to the origin of a recent fire.

Quartet Sings At High School Tonight

The Metropolitan Grand Quartet, accompanied by a very competent pianist, will appear at the High School Auditorium Wednesday (tonight) as the fifth number of the High School lecture course of nine numbers. The Quartet has a splendid program arranged, which begins at 8:15 instead of 8, as heretofore.

The Metropolitan Grand Quartet is without doubt the highest priced Quartet on the Lyceum platform, and undoubtedly one of the best ever in Portsmouth.

"NEVERSWEATS" ASK AID

Jake and Ike Hill, who have long since qualified for the Neversweat society, called at the safety director's office Wednesday morning and asked for something to eat. "Go to work!" ordered Clerk Fred Bausman. "Well, we'll get something all right," said they as they departed. Their mother, Mrs. Sarah Hill-Higgins, was discharged from Hempstead hospital a few days ago after receiving medical treatment there for ten days.

GRASS WIDOWERS CLUB

George Sachs reports that the newly formed Grass Widowers' club in the West End is progressing nicely. The club already boasts of a healthy membership.

TA! TA! SPARROW! MAYOR'S CRUSADE PROMISES TO BE A SURE THING

Mayor Frick is still in correspondence with John Davey, of Kent, O., relative to his crusade against the English sparrow and the restoration of the wren and other native birds. Mr. Davey has suggested that the mayor take up the matter with the city council and civic organizations as early as possible as now is the best time to make a "clean-up" while the sparrows are on the streets.

Begin New School

The first brick for the foundation of the new Garfield school building at Gallia pike and Mabert Road was laid by Contractor James I. Barnes, of Noblesville, Ind., Tuesday afternoon. Quite a force of brickmasons from Indiana were put to work on the job Wednesday morning.

MISS HOUSTON'S POEM IS COPIED

The fame of Miss Leora Irene Houston as a poet has reached New York and attracted the attention of the man who edits the column of selected poems in the New York Evening Sun. In the issue of January 15th Miss Houston's poem "1915 Greetings to the Portsmouth Daily Times" is reproduced. The Times is indebted to Mr. Will J. Lampton for a copy of The Sun and Mr. Lampton adds the comment, "Hurrah for Portsmouth poetry."

To Charge 25 Cents For Klein Lecture

Twenty-five cents was decided upon as the admission for the Nicholas Klein lectures at Trinity church on the afternoon and evening of February 2, at a meeting of the committee in charge Tuesday evening. Tickets will be printed at once, and placed on sale at various places about town.

In return for their generosity in tendering the use of the church auditorium for the lectures, the committee will consult the trustees of the church regarding the best means of distributing the proceeds of the lectures among the families of the unemployed in this city.

In Northern Ohio.

Stanley Hopkins is in Northern Ohio on a few days' business trip for the Portsmouth Steel Company.

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WEST BOUND

No. 5 Daily to Cincinnati.....5:30 a. m.
No. 17 Local, Daily, Except Sunday .....6:37 a. m.
No. 3 Daily, F. F. V. .....1:55 p. m.
No. 7 Daily, Local .....3:07 p. m.

EAST BOUND

No. 8 Daily, Local .....11:13 a. m
No. 2, Daily, to New York....2:52 p. m.
No. 16, Local, Daily Except Sunday .....7:25 p. m.
No. 4 Daily to Washington ..11:20 p. m

No. 8 connects with Lexington and Guyandot divisions.

No. 2 connects with Big Sandy division.

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Instantly Clears Air Passages; You Breathe Freely, Nasty Discharge Stops, Head Colds and Dull Headache Vanish.

Get a small bottle anyway, just to try it—Apply a little in the nostrils and instantly your clogged nose and stopped-up air passages of the head will open; you will breathe freely; dullness and headache disappear. By morning! the catarrh, cold-in-head or catarrhal sore throat will be gone.

End such misery now! Get the small bottle of "Ely's Cream Balm" at any drug store. This sweet, fragrant balm dissolves by the heat of the nostrils; penetrates and heals the inflamed, swollen membrane which lines the nose, head and throat; clears the air passages; stops nasty discharges and a feeling of cleansing, soothing relief comes immediately.

Don't lay awake to-night struggling for breath, with head stuffed; nostrils closed, hawking and blowing. Catarrh or a cold, with its running nose, foul mucous dropping into the throat, and raw dryness is distressing but truly needless.

Put your faith—just once—in "Ely's Cream Balm" and your cold or catarrh will surely disappear.

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By buying your Suit and Coats at our big sale prices.

All Ladies' Suits, $25 to $35 values for $15.00
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Ladies' Coats $22.50 to $25 values for $15.00
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LATEST IN SPORTDOM

GIANT KILLERS WINNERS, LIKEWISE IVORY KNOBS, REXALLS NOW IN CELLAR

STANDING OF THE TEAMS

Teams	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Giants	30	24	6	800
Ivory Knobs	30	21	9	700
Bald Eagles	27	15	11	556
Spiders	27	15	11	556
Cement Specials	30	14	16	467
Corn Shuckers	24	8	16	333
Clod Hoppers	24	7	17	292
Rexalls	30	8	22	233

Games Friday Evening

Spiders vs. Corn Shuckers, alleys 2 and 3.

Eagles vs. Clod Hoppers, alleys 4 and 5.

Bowling with the accuracy displayed by an old maid flinging a catsup bottle at a serenading tom cat on the top of a neighboring coal shed, those Cement Specials went tumbling to almost total eclipse at the hands of the glistening Giants at the Play House alleys last night, the Special getting it in the neck three straight times, going to their respective homes with about as much alacrity as marks the movement of a bayoneted Englishman. Yes, and the same cruel treatment was accorded the Rexalls at the hands of the Ivory Knobs, who came through with three straight games, sending Wurster's bunch to the bottom of the coal heap where all is dark and dismal and where such a thing as a ray of light is unknown to the human eye.

Despite the beatings administered to the Cement Specials and their companions in sorrow, Wurster's Rexalls, the fellowship displayed was of the proper brand. Everybody had a grand and glorious time, even Jim Hager, who got as much fun out of his lowly scores as though he had "busted" into the timber for three 200 scores. It may be wrong to associate Jim's name with 200, but the comparison is not at all odious to the popular druggist, who is in the game for fun and [illegible] and who gets both or knows the reason why. George Freund, his inseparable companion, had one terrific time guazing the pins last night, but he, too, found solace in the efforts he put forth, which were just as laborious and worthy as though he had copped a million pins. He was deadly in earnest, and Wade Kennedy, a chesty Spider, who sat on the softest bench he could find, applauded the efforts of Druggist Freund, although he probably chuckled inwardly at times, especially when he thought of how he was kidded about the scores he made a few nights ago and which have been given all sorts of publicity.

The Giants really won the three games when they copped No. 1. The Cement Specials shot their durndest in the opening and when it was found their opponents emerged with pins to spare, a "what's der use" expression o'er spread the features of the Specials and they curled up like so many sun kissed caterpillars and displayed about as much agressiveness.

On the other hand, the Giants were out to retain first place and they rolled consistently, carefully and with oodles of confidence. No great scores were made, although they had the satisfaction of tabbing up the three high scores of the evening, which shows they are there in forty different ways from the pack. Every fellow did his share and went home satisfied with his showing.

Captain George Wurster and his brave men battled the Ivory Knobs on alleys 4 and 5, and while they were defeated, nevertheless they were not at all disgraced. The Knobs won every game, but they got through by the hair of their heads and the good Lord knows there is not an abundance of that material on their domes. Had the Rexalls been as good as Pearl Cranston, they would have had two at least, for the milkman went about his business with uncanny precision and flopped those pins around for a great big average. Dr. Keyes was also good in spots as was Captain Wurster himself.

Captain Perry Winkler Young was the Beau Brummel of the Ivory Knobs. He got an awful start, then hitched up his belt and went like a scared elk, getting two big scores. Orville Sprague started out like a run away express, and then somebody put sand on the tracks and the upheaval beat the Italian earthquake. Fred N. Tynes got into the second game with both feet and rammed into a cussed split [illegible] him out of the 200 class. The split he turned in in the last game will keep tongues wagging for a month. It was the personification of skill, superinduced [illegible] luck, but counted just the same. The scores:

GIANTS	1	2	3
Ross	123	135	160
Rickey	125	115	147
Daehler	137	152	151
Wilhelm	156	173	133
Blind	128	166	141
Sheridan	109	155	117
Totals	858	917	889

CEMENT SPECIALS	1	2	3
Horr	153	151	146
Spencer	125	151	151
Hager	82	104	115
Freund	99	106	93
Lloyd	155	123	135
Creveling	130	131	123
Totals	844	782	783

IVORY KNOBS	1	2	3
Sprague	159	127	111
York	136	134	154
Clayton	...	126	158
Rund	139	...	...
Zollman	135	145	119
Tynes	...	157	120
Leach	122	...	...
Young	127	173	159
Totals	857	907	851

REXALLS	1	2	3
Cranston	179	155	131
Baker	112	130	114
Keyes	165	145	145
Schuyler	115	153	125
Huntsberger	112	157	151
Wurster	165	136	157
Totals	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

DEAL WILL NOT JUMP

The report that Third Baseman Deal of the Braves will jump to the Feds has been strenuously denied in Boston. Deal says he will remain faithful to organized baseball.

To Have Team

The Lexington management says that it will have a team in the field this year even if the Colts have to go back to the Blue Grass league, which is slated for a revival this spring.

FATE OF ORGANIZED BALL IS INVOLVED IN BIG SUIT

Chicago, Jan. 20.—Forces of organized baseball, attacked by the Federal league as a combination operating in violation of the Sherman anti-trust law were ready to go before Judge Landis in the United States district court today to fight a motion for an injunction sought by the Federals.

Several hours were expected to be taken up in the presentation of arguments by attorneys for both sides. The length of the hearing is problematical. If Judge Landis decides to call on any of the forty-nine signers of affidavits as oral witnesses, the hearing, it is expected, will continue for several days.

None of the attorneys or executives of the three leagues was of the opinion, however, that oral witnesses would be called. All of these named in the charges have filed affidavits. Men identified with the American and National leagues filed thirty, while the Federal leaguers, in making their charges, presented them in nineteen sworn statements.

Briefly the facts in the suits are as follows:

The Federal league seeks to dissolve organized baseball, which operates [illegible]

It is alleged it violates the anti-trust law. Organized baseball includes practically every league in the Nation, exclusive of the Federal organization.

The Federals also seek to enjoin the individual defendants from interfering with players now under contract to the Federal organization and also asks that the contracts with players made by the defendants and each of them under the national agreement be declared null, void and of no effect.

If the Federals are successful in their quest for a temporary injunction [illegible] will immediately be taken [illegible] permanent order, should contracts be declared null and void, it would make "free agents" of all players except such as are now signed by equitable contracts.

The defense of organized baseball that it does not operate in violation of the anti-trust law will be based on Section 6 of the Clayton act recently passed by congress, it was reported [illegible]. The section which attorneys for the defense are expected to cite reads:

"That the labor of a human being is not a commodity or article of commerce." As the Federals [illegible] that organized baseball is a trust in restraint of trade and commerce [illegible] attorneys for the defendants will contend, it was said, that as organized baseball deals only in labor it cannot violate the law.

Arguments for the defendants will be presented by George Wharton Pepper of Philadelphia, counsel for the National league. He will be assisted by [illegible] of Philadelphia and several other attorneys [illegible] individual defendants. [illegible] of Chicago [illegible] will be in charge of the case for the Federals.

Boy Scout League Basketball Records

BASKET BALL RECORDS

How They Stand

	W.	L.	Pct.
West End	4	0	1000
Covenanters	3	1	750
Tigers	2	2	500
Curtis Club	1	3	250
Crackshots	1	3	250
Bigelow	1	3	250

Field Goals

Player, Team	Goals
Grace, W. E.	15
Fortner, Cov.	15
Schrek, W. E.	15
Carey, Big.	9
Devass, C. C. C.	[illegible]
Gims, Tigers	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]
Kricker, Tigers	6
F. Dever, Cov.	5
Graf, W. E.	[illegible]
Brumley, Crackshots	3
[illegible], Crackshots	2
A. Doll, C. C. C.	2
S. Julien, Big.	2
Powell, Crackshots	1
T. Williams, Tigers	2
Hamilton, Crackshots	1
Gehres, W. E.	1
W. Hopkins, Tigers	1
Breece, Big.	1
R. Williams, Crackshots	1
Thomas, Big.	1

Foul Goals

Player, Team	Out of
Hamilton, Crack.	2
[illegible], Crack.	2
A. Doll, C. C. C.	2
A. Yaple, Bigelow	3
F. Dever, Cov.	1
Fortner, Cov.	7
[illegible], C. C. C.	2
[illegible], W. E.	2
Gims, Tigers	2
[illegible], Tigers	1
Devass, C. C. C.	1
Graf, W. E.	2
Wilson, Cov.	6
Carey, Big.	6
H. [illegible], Crack.	6

Fouls

Player, Team	Fouls
Powell, Crackshots	12
Gims, Tigers	8
A. Doll, C. C. C.	8
Kricker, Tigers	8
Bryant, C. C. C.	6
[illegible], Crackshots	6
S. Julien, Bigelow	6
A. Yaple, Bigelow	5
Graf, W. E.	5
F. Dever, Cov.	5
W. Hopkins, Tigers	5
Fortner, Cov.	5
Breece, Bigelow	4
Davidson, Bigelow	4
Schreck, W. E.	4
Tatman, Crackshots	4
Gehres, W. E.	3
Carey, Bigelow	3
Hudson, Tigers	3
Hoff, C. C. C.	3
T. Williams, Tigers	3
Hamilton, Crackshots	2
Selby, Tigers	2
Hayes, Tigers	2
Davis, Crackshots	2
Dunn, C. C. C.	1
George, Cov.	1
Wilson, Cov.	1
Parker, Crackshots	1
Lakeman, Bigelow	1
Virgin, Tigers	1
Grace, W. E.	1
D. [illegible], Bigelow	1
M. [illegible], Bigelow	1

Total Points

West End	84
Covenanters	[illegible]
Tigers	[illegible]
Bigelow	29
C. C. C.	21
Crackshots	21

Total Fouls

West End	10
Covenanters	12
Crackshots	21
Bigelow	27
C. C. C.	28
Tigers	31

LOCAL FIVE PRACTICING HARD

The Portsmouth High School basketeers [illegible] of the season and the boys are set on [illegible] turning in [illegible] from now on.

[illegible] Following Friday night's game with Wellston the Red and Blue five will [illegible] buckle down to hard work and tackle the Huntington High School quintet on Saturday evening. Two games in as many days will afford plenty of sport for the lovers of the game. It is up to the student body to turn out in great numbers. Tickets have been placed on sale and a number of them have been sold. Twenty-five is the price of admission.

Big Fine For Rube

[illegible] Marquard [illegible] by McGraw. [illegible]

FATHER DEAD

[illegible]

MAY STOP FIGHT

[illegible] February 1.

SPORTLETS

Marty O'Toole says he will win 20 games for Pittsburgh next season. They always do this time of the year.

McGraw says he will turn [illegible] Giants loose in a few days. Wonder how many will land in Redland?

Johnny Dundee will be matched with Freddie Welsh and the fight is to be staged in New York.

There will be one swell fight over in Milwaukee Thursday night when Mike Gibbons and Jimmy Clabby collide in the same ring.

Only three Yankees [illegible]. Hooray!

Johnny Baggan has [illegible] rich. With Johnny it is nothing to do until spring.

No delay when you call. Walters Plumbing Co. adv

John Lipker, of Lick Run, is suffering with heart trouble.

TO HAVE "ROGUES' GALLERY"

Police Chief W. T. [illegible] has [illegible] decided to greatly [illegible] Rogues' gallery at police headquarters.

The chief expects to [illegible] a number of files and wall cabinets so as to better expose to view the numerous photographs and descriptions of escaped criminals for whose capture rewards are offered. Heretofore these have been kept in piles and to find a certain picture required much time and effort. The chief has instructed the police to carefully look over [illegible] [illegible] person wanted [illegible] in the past.

Expect Two More Taxis

The Interstate Transfer company [illegible] two more taxis next week. They will be electrically lighted and otherwise better equipped than the one now in service.

CAN SOLICIT FUNDS

Harry Strong, business agent, and other Central Labor council officers, having passed upon the credentials of Elmer Gary and Leon Ostrander, Mayor Frick has given these two men a permit to solicit funds here for the striking coal miners and their families in Eastern Ohio.

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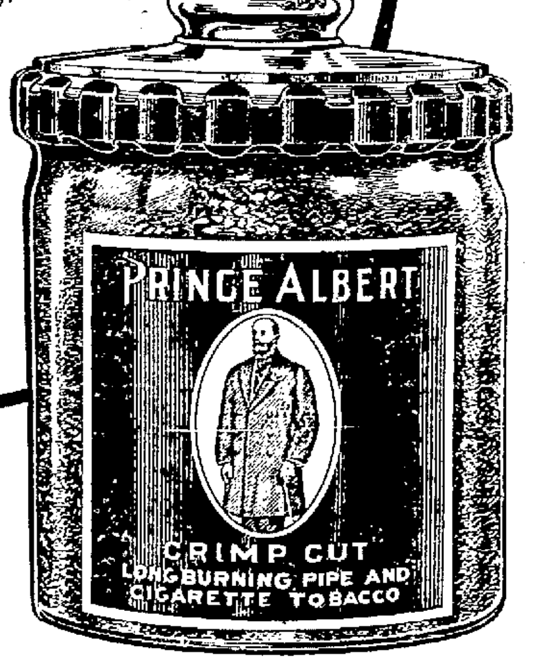
Time to replace that empty jar with a full one of P. A.

That humidor of tobacco you got for Xmas must be running mighty low just about now. If *you* haven't got a good supply of P. A. in the crystal-glass jar with the sponge in the cover that keeps it fresh and fragrant for pipe and cigarette-fit all the time, go to it and invest today.



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Why Tobacco Houses Closed

An Adams county merchant who was in the city Tuesday stated that the tobacco warehouses at Manchester had closed Monday owing to threats to burn them down if any more tobacco was purchased at the present prevailing prices. Similar action was expected at Maysville, Ky.

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ORDINANCE
Number 2088.

To issue bonds of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, for the purpose of providing funds for Sewer Construction purposes and for extending, enlarging, improving and repairing the Sewerage System of the City of Portsmouth, Ohio.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, as follows:—

Section 1. That it is deemed necessary by the Council of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, to issue and sell the bonds of said City in the sum of $10,000, for the purpose of providing funds for the payment of the City's Proportion of the cost and expense of Sewer Construction and for extending, enlarging, improving and repairing the Sewerage System of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio.

Section 2. That there shall be issued 20 coupon bonds of said City, designated "Sewer Construction Bonds—City's Proportion," numbered consecutively from 131 to 150, both inclusive of the denomination of $500 each to the aggregate amount of $10,000.00. Said bonds shall bear date of March, 1915, and shall become due and payable at the office of the City Treasurer of said City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, on March 1, 1925.

Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of five per cent per annum payable semi-annually on the first day of September and March in each year, for which interest proper coupons shall be annexed and made a part of said bonds. And the faith and credit of said City of Portsmouth, are hereby pledged for the payment of the principal and interest of said bonds.

Section 3. Said bonds shall express upon their face the purpose for which they are issued; that they are issued in pursuance of this ordinance. They shall be prepared, issued and delivered under the direction of the Finance Committee of Council and the City Auditor and shall be signed by the Mayor of said City and the City Auditor and sealed with the corporate seal of said City. And the interest coupons annexed to said bonds shall be executed by the City Auditor with his signature thereto, or a printed facsimile thereof. Said bonds shall be offered by the Finance Committee of Council and the City Auditor and sold in the manner provided by law for not less than their par value and accrued interest to date of delivery.

Section 4. The proceeds from the sale of said bonds, except the premiums and accrued interest thereon shall be placed in the City Treasury to the credit of the Sewer Construction Fund—City's Proportion and shall be disbursed upon proper vouchers for the purpose of paying the City's Proportion of the cost and expense of sewer construction purposes and for extending, enlarging, improving and repairing the Sewerage System of the City of Portsmouth, Ohio, and for no other purpose whatsoever. And the premium and accrued interest received from such sale shall be transferred to the Trustees of the Sinking Fund to be applied by them in the manner provided by law.

Section 5. That there shall be and hereby is levied and elected annually until the redemption of the above indebtedness upon taxable property in the City of Portsmouth a sum sufficient to pay the interest on the above described indebtedness, and to pay sufficient sinking fund charges to provide for the full payment of the said indebtedness at maturity, such levies and collections of taxes for municipal purposes.

Section 6. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

GEO. M. OSBORN,
President Pro Tem.

Attest:
GEORGE L. GABLEMAN,
Clerk.

Passed January 6, 1915. 13-2 Wed.

ORDINANCE
Number 2090.

To issue bonds for the purpose of providing funds for paying the City's share of the cost and expense of constructing a viaduct and for purchasing or condemning the necessary land therefor, beginning at a point near the intersection of Gallia and Young streets thence in a southerly direction over and across the tracks of Norfolk and Western Railway Company and The Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern Railroad Company, to a point in Eighth Street near Lawson's Run.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, two-thirds of all the members elected thereto concurring as follows:—

Section 1. That it is deemed necessary by the Council of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, to issue and sell the bonds of said City of Portsmouth, in the sum of $12,000, for the purpose of providing funds for paying the City's share of the cost and expense of constructing a viaduct and for purchasing or condemning the necessary land therefor, beginning at a point near the intersection of Gallia and Young Streets thence in a southerly direction over and across the tracks of Norfolk and Western Railway Company and The Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern Railroad Company, to a point in Eighth Street near Lawson's Run.

Section 2. That there shall be issued [illegible] coupon bonds of said city designated "Lawson Run Viaduct Bonds," numbered consecutively from 1 to [illegible] both inclusive of the denomination of $[illegible] each to the aggregate amount of $[illegible]. Said bonds shall bear date of March 1, 1915, and shall become due and payable at the office of the Treasurer of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, as follows: [illegible]

Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of five per cent per annum payable semi-annually on the first day of September and March in each year, for which interest proper coupons shall be annexed and made a part of said bonds. And the faith and credit of the said City of Portsmouth are hereby pledged for the payment of the principal and interest of said bonds.

Section 3. Said bonds shall express upon their face the purpose for which they are issued, that they are issued in [illegible]. They shall be prepared, issued and delivered under the direction of the Finance Committee of Council and the City Auditor and shall be signed by the Mayor of said City and the City Auditor and sealed with the corporate seal of said City. And the interest coupons annexed to said bonds shall be executed by the City Auditor with his signature thereto or a printed facsimile thereof. Said bonds shall be offered by the Finance Committee of Council and the City Auditor and sold in the manner provided by law for not less than their par value and accrued interest to date of delivery.

Section 4. That the proceeds from the sale of said bonds except the premium and accrued interest thereon shall be placed in the City Treasury to the credit of the Lawson's Run Viaduct Fund and shall be disbursed upon proper vouchers for the purpose of paying the city's share of the cost and expense of constructing a viaduct and for purchasing or condemning the necessary land therefor, beginning at a point near the intersection of Gallia and Young Streets thence in a southerly direction over and across the tracks of Norfolk and Western Railway Company and The Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern Railroad Company, to a point in Eighth Street near Lawson's Run and for no other purpose whatsoever, and the premium and accrued interest received from such sale shall be transferred to the Trustees of the Sinking Fund to be applied by them in the manner provided by law.

Section 5. That there shall be and hereby is levied and collected annually until the redemption of the above indebtedness upon the taxable property in the City of Portsmouth, a sum sufficient to pay the interest on the above described indebtedness and to pay sufficient sinking fund charges to provide for the full payment of the said indebtedness at maturity, such levies and collections to be made at the times provided by law for the levy and collections of taxes for municipal purposes.

Section 6. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

GEO. M. OSBORN,
President Pro Tem.

Attest:
GEORGE L. GABLEMAN,
Clerk.

Passed, January 6, 1915. 17-2 Wed.

ORDINANCE
Number 2089.

Declaring it necessary to construct a viaduct from a point near the intersection of Gallia and Young streets, thence in a southerly direction over and across the tracks of Norfolk and Western Railway Company and The Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern Railroad Company to a point in Eighth Street near Lawson's Run, approving plans, specifications and estimates, authorizing contract therefor and providing mode of action.

WHEREAS, There have been presented to the Council of the City of Portsmouth, Ohio, certain plans, specifications and estimates for the construction of a viaduct from a point near the intersection of Gallia and Young Streets, thence in a southerly direction over and across the tracks of Norfolk and Western Railway Company and The Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern Railroad Company to a point in Eighth Street near Lawson's Run, all as shown on Plans 527-A and Y-[illegible] on file in the office of the Director of Public Service and

WHEREAS, Norfolk and Western Railway Company and The Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern Railroad Company have submitted a proposal to the City of Portsmouth agreeing to pay [illegible] per cent of the cost of constructing said viaduct complete, the cost of the land or property acquired therefor and the damages to owners of abutting property, the city to pay the remaining [illegible] per cent thereof. Provided that in the event the City's share thereof exceeds $[illegible] said Railroad Companies are to assume [illegible] such excess, the Railroad Companies to adjust their respective proportions of their percentage with each other, and agreeing that when completed the [illegible] work of the viaduct and abutments [illegible] be maintained and kept in repair by the Railroad Companies and the surface by the City.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, as follows:

Section 1. That it is deemed necessary, by the Council of the City of Portsmouth, Ohio, to construct a viaduct over and across the tracks of Norfolk and Western Railway Company and The Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern Railroad Company, as above described, and to purchase or condemn the necessary land or property for constructing said viaduct as shown on the plans heretofore referred to and the intention so to do is hereby declared.

Section 2. That the plans, specifications and estimates for the construction of said viaduct now on file in the office of the Director of Public Service [illegible] designated thereon as 527-A and Y-[illegible] and the same are hereby approved.

Section 3. That bonds of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, shall be issued in the manner provided by law for the purpose of raising the money necessary to pay the proportion of the cost of said viaduct developing upon said City of Portsmouth in accordance with the above mentioned provisions.

Section 4. That said improvement shall be let at public contract as provided by law and the contract shall be by and between the City of Portsmouth and Norfolk and Western Railway Company, and the contractor, said City of Portsmouth to be bound in said contract to the extent of 35 per cent of the consideration and obligation thereof, but in no event to exceed together with the cost of the land and damages as hereinafter provided an obligation in excess of $[illegible] and said Norfolk and Western Railway Company to be bound in said contract as to the balance of the consideration and obligation thereof and the cost of said land and damages. The Director of Public Service be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to enter into contract in accordance with law and in accordance with the plans, specifications and estimates heretofore approved and to the extent of the City's proportion thereof for the construction of said viaduct.

Section 5. The Director of Public Service be and he is hereby authorized and directed to acquire, in accordance with law, the necessary lands and property for the construction of said viaduct, the cost thereof to be borne in the following proportions: By the City, 35 per cent; by the Railroad Companies 65 per cent; the City's share, however, of the entire cost of the viaduct, the land and the damages not to exceed $[illegible].

Section 6. The cost of any and all damages to the abutting real estate shall be borne in the following proportions, to-wit: 65 per cent. by said Railroad Companies and 35 per cent. by said City, provided, however, that the City's share of the viaduct, land and damages shall not exceed $[illegible], the balance to be assumed and paid by the railroad companies. The said damages shall be determined and assessed after the completion of said viaduct.

Section 7. That the work of construction shall be under the supervision of the Director of Public Service.

Section 8. Said viaduct, when completed, shall be maintained and kept in repair by the Railroad Companies as to the frame work and abutments and by the city as to the surface of the viaduct and its approaches.

Section 9. That Norfolk and Western Railway Company and The Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern Railroad Company shall file with council their written acceptance of the provision of this ordinance and their agreement to be bound thereby.

Section 10. That Resolution No. [illegible] adopted by the Council of said City of Portsmouth, April [illegible], 1912, and Ordinance No. 1702, passed by said Council August [illegible], 1912, be and the same are hereby repealed.

Section 11. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law and [illegible] the written acceptance of the provisions thereof by said Railroad Companies has been properly executed and filed with Council.

GEO. M. OSBORN,
President Pro Tem.

Attest:
GEORGE L. GABLEMAN,
Clerk.

Passed Jany. 6, 1915. 13-3 Wed.

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CAN YOU SUGGEST NAME?

Citizens of Portsmouth are to be given an opportunity to suggest names for the nine streets that have been laid out in the addition to Greenlawn cemetery, bordering on Offnere street and Kinney Lane. There is also a circle 100 feet in diameter to be named, but the suggestion has been madeby George Wilhelm city engineer, in charge of the laying out of the addition that this be called "Appel Circle, after the late George M. Appel, and the idea has found so much favor that it seems this will be adopted.

Anyone with a suggestion for a name may send it to The Times or the city officials.

THE NEW SUN TODAY MATINEE AND NIGHT

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HAVERHILL INSTITUTE GETS A GOOD START

The Haverhill Farmers' Institute opened under auspicious circumstances in the Methodist church of that village Wednesday. The program calls for a two day's session, which will close with the annual election of officers to be held Thursday evening.

At the Wednesday morning session the speakers were F. W. Burlingame, who spoke on "Clover and How We Grow It;" Miss Clara Smith Rogers, who talked on "Sanitation In the Farm Home," and C. F. Green, who chose "Relative Importance of Live Stock" as his subject. The discussions were led by S. E. Crickenberger and J. W. Trumbo of Haverhill.

At the afternoon session F. W. Burlingame spoke on "Tree Planting and the Care of Trees." C. F. Green's subject was "Use and Abuse of Fertilizer," and Miss Clara Rogers spoke on "The Study of Foods." The discussions were led by S. V. Selby and Anthony Gerlach. Tonight's program will include talks by Mr. Burlingame whose subject will be "Some Reasons Why Boys Leave the Farm," and by Mr. Green, whose theme will be "The Modern Yard Stick."

The music is being furnished by the College Girl's Quartet.

J. W. Folsom is acting as chairman of the meetings.

Had Big Success At Lucasville

A success from every standpoint the Lucasville Farmers' Institute held the past two days in the high school building of that village came to a close Tuesday night with a concert rendered by the Jones Concert company. The attendance was gratifyingly large, each session being well attended. J. S. Violet, who was reelected president, stated Wednesday that the Institute was the most satisfactory ever held in Lucasville.

Always on the job. Walters Plumbing Co. adv

SUIT IS FILED TO QUIET TITLE

Suit to quiet title on a farm of 80 acres in Valley township was filed in common pleas court Wednesday morning by Attorneys Blair and Kimble, representing Charles Luckett, who claims to be the sole owner thereof. George F. Days, Elizabeth Days and Geo. A. Days, Roscoe Rays and Raymond C. Days, minors, and Frank W. and Martha D. Moulton are named as defendants.

Luckett represents to the court that he purchased the farm in 1878 from William Ambler, who executed to him a deed, which he negligently failed to have recorded. In 1879, he says he traded the farm to his brother Samuel, who retained ownership of it until August 6, 1903, when he executed a quit claim deed for it in favor of Leonard G. Luckett. The latter, it is claimed, transferred it to the owner in November of the same year in return for a certain consideration not named.

Luckett claims that the defendants claim to have some interest in the farm, and have cut timber, harvested crops, and exhibited other signs of ownership. He wishes to have the court establish his sole title to the place.

FINISH BRIDGE PIERS

"The five piers of the new Scioto river bridge have been practically completed and a force of men are working on the east abutment," said Engineer A. T. B. Somerville, Wednesday. "The work is moving along as rapidly as the weather will permit. The A. J. Martin Company and the Mt. Lookout Construction Company hope to begin work on the West abutment shortly."

It was stated that the Mt. Vernon Bridge Company was in position to ship steel for the superstructure just as soon as they were notified to do so.

Had To Get Police To Get Into House

To be denied possession of the property he had bought and paid spot cash for was the unexpected experience of William DeLotell, an employee of the Leete Lumber company, Wednesday.

Mr. DeLotell recently purchased Mrs. Lizzie George's two story house on Fifth street, near Market and was to have been given possession a week ago. When he did move Wednesday after a week's wait he found the doors barred against him. He appealed to Attorney William J. Meyer, who in turn called up Mayor Adam Frick. Chief McCarty and some officers hurried to the scene and obtained possession for the new owner by removing the hinges of the doors.

Mrs. George had moved out all of her effects except a few she still had stored in the stable at the rear. She at present conducts a restaurant in the Nash property on Second street.

CLAIMS HUSBAND MADE LOVE TO HER SISTER

That J. Tom Stevens, a brickworker of No. 1102 Mill street, who has had three matrimonial ventures, is trying to rid himself of Wife No. 3, so that he may take unto himself another, was the conclusion drawn by Mayor Frick Wednesday, from statements made by Stevens' wife.

Mrs. Bertha Meadows-Stevens, the child wife of the Mill street man, told the mayor that she and Stevens had had a "falling out" a week ago, that he had made threats to others that he would slash her throat from ear to ear, and added insult to injury by writing love missives to her sister, Dora Meadows, with whom he had become acquainted while she was on a visit here.

Mrs. Stevens, who is but eighteen years old, said she had innocently delivered the love letter written by her husband, he having entrusted it to her when she went to her former home, eight miles back of Greenup, a few days ago. The sister resented its contents and gave the letter to her. It was couched in all sorts of endearing terms and wound up with the fervent hope that he might see her in person, as he could tell her more in one hour than he could write in a life-time.

Mrs. Stevens said she loved her husband better than any man she knew and would like to live with him, but she feared he would do her bodily harm. She said she could return to her parents, but that they were not in the best of circumstances, and she would prefer earning her own livelihood in some shoe factory.

The mayor, after learning that the couple had no children, assured the young woman that she should really feel relieved to be rid of such an unappreciative man. She had married him a year ago, she a mere child and he a man of about middle age. She had started to do for his waywardly inclined son until he had threatened her and then taken leave and had done the very best she could under the circumstances, but it was clear to him he was determined only to get her out of the way so that he might be free to marry some other woman.

He took up her case with Mrs. Lila Johnson, a rescue worker, with a view to finding employment for her, and Stevens will be called in this evening to be given an opportunity to explain his actions. He is employed at the Harbison-Walker plant in Star Yards.

Judge George M. Osborn is expected to arrive home in a few days from Cincinnati where he is undergoing treatment at the Dr. Holmes hospital.

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GOOD ROADS WIN IN GREENUP CO.

With only one precinct to hear from Greenup county went on record Tuesday as heartily favoring the proposition to issue $200,000 worth of bonds to improve the county roads in Greenup county.

Greenup, Russell, South Portsmouth and Fullerton rolled up big majorities for the bond issue, which will carry by a majority of more than 1,800, which exceeds the most sanguine expectations of the promoters of the road building campaign, which is to result in Greenup county getting better roads.

With one precinct out the vote polled was 2199 for better roads and 367 against the bond issue, the majority being 1832.

There was much rejoicing in all parts of the county over the successful termination of the speaking campaign, which had been carried on for five weeks.

Here is the vote of all the precincts but one, Big White Oak, which has not been sent in:

	Yes	No
Smith Branch	91	17
Old Town	96	44
Honeywell	65	41
South Portsmouth ...	137	5
Leatherwood	181	26
Alleorn	96	62
Pennsylvania	91	39
Wurtland	109	36
Limeville	148	9
Russell	483	8
Greenup	235	37
Fullerton	282	8
Schultz	185	35
	2199	367

Great credit is due County Judge L. E. Nickell for his untiring efforts in bring about the election and convinsing the people that it was to their best interest to vote for good roads.

CHRISTIAN REVIVAL IS A GREAT SUCCESS, SINGER MAKES A HIT

Much interest was manifested in the First Christian church revival last night. Every one sang. Prof. Fitz was at his best. The evangelist had a message and he delivered it with power. Several remarked that it was a shame not to extend the invitation, but the minister adhere strictly to his announced program and will not give the invitation until next Sunday when he hopes to see a large number accept the gospel and unite with the church by letter.

Prof. Fitz had his chorus choir located in the extreme top of the balcony last night when the services began. They sang "Crown Him King," and when they reached the chorus they all began to file slowly down the stairway to the platform. It was a fine ascending climax, which at once filled everyone with the spirit of revival.

Mr. Fitz sang "Moment by Moment" in a most effective way. Tonight he will sing "The Penitent" by Van de Water. He brings to his present task most remarkable experience and qualifications.

He was three years director of Music State Normal School of Oklahoma and six years director of music, State Teachers' college of Colorado. He was teacher and lecturer three summers in the Denver and Colorado Spring institutes and soloist in some of the best churches of the west.

Mr. Fitz is the author of the remarkable discovery of the natural law of approximate sex maturity, by which the true quality and power of the voice can be determined at the early age of twelve to fourteen years of age. He has recently tested 1,071 boys voices in the De Witt Clinton High School of New York City and found that the exception to the rule was not to be found. Prof. Fitz is writing a book which will soon be published, dealing with this great law and its practical value in the public schools. Mr. Fitz is a school man of the first rank, and knows the work of a teacher perfectly. His experience has led him into different paths other than school teaching and church work, he is authority on voice troubles and has done considerable writing on the various phases of music education.

At noon today he gave a short concert for the employes of the Selby factory.

On account of the concert at the High School this evening and because so many of the members hold season tickets the services at the revival will begin at seven o'clock and close at eight so that all who wish may attend both services.

Moose Planning For A Big Time

Last night was a hummer for the Moose order. Seven candidates, J. W. Gramme, W. E. Gramme, W. F. Spencher, Al Bodmer, Sam Mitchell, H. Steirs and Nelson Wylie were initiated. The big social for members and their families and sweethearts will be Saturday night, Feb. 3rd. Oldtime dancing and newtime catering will be indulged in.

Great preparations are being made for the Birthday Initiation on on February 14th. Many big men of the order will be present, among them John J. Risbeck, of Pittsburg, Dr. Geo. H. Hamilton and others. This is the final class, and the order expects it to eclipse all other efforts.

Three new billiard tables are being installed today and the club rooms are looking very cozy.

The gymnasium apparatus has arrived and will soon be in position.

Prof. C. Keigler will commence organizing classes next week.

The Moose are hustlers from the word go, and they are sure going some.

Will Give Address

County School Superintendent E. O. McCowen is scheduled to deliver an address before the Haverhill Farmers' Institute, Thursday afternoon. He will speak on the subject, "The Problems of the Rural Schools," which has been his theme before all of the county institutes held so far this winter.

Receives Commission

Attorney George W. Sheppard has received a new commission as notary public, his former commission having expired. The commission was signed by Ohio's new governor, Frank B. Willis, and is the first to be received in this county bearing his signature.

Back With Hatton

Clark Winters, who for the past three months has enjoyed a rest has re-entered the employ of Henry T. Hatton.

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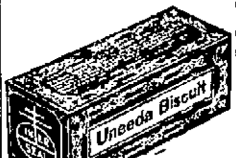

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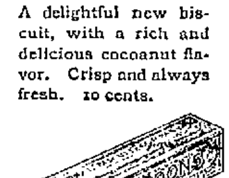

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JUDGE SETS GOOD EXAMPLE

Casting aside his judicial dignity Judge James S. Thomas seized a shovel and broom and cleared his sidewalk on Second street of snow bright and early Wednesday morning.

MACCABEES INITIATE

Four candidates, Mrs. Minnie Harris, Eldom Winterstein, Ruth Winterstein, and Mrs. Schwartz, were initiated into membership in the Ladies of the Maccabees at the regular meeting in Freshour's hall, Tuesday evening. The applications of five other candidates were balloted upon favorably. A large attendance was present, and the meeting was hugely enjoyed.

CALVERT IS BOUND OVER

Kenneth Calver, the Adams county young man arrested last week by Deputy Sheriff Arthur on a warrant, charging him with the robbery of James R. Ladd in this city on December 21 last, was given a preliminary hearing before Squire John W. Byron Wednesday morning. He pleaded not guilty, and after a brief hearing, was bound over to the grand jury in the sum of 300 bond. In default of the recognizance, he was remanded to jail.

Calvert is accused of the theft of $12 from Ladd, alleged to have been committed while the two were seeing Portsmouth together. Ladd located him in a North End saloon a few hours after the alleged robbery, but Calvert escaped by a rear door and could not be apprehended. Prosecuting Attorney Micklethwait represented the state at the hearing.

Orchestra Engaged

The committee in charge of the arrangements for the big "Get Together" banquet to be given by River City Aerie of Eagles on February 4th, has engaged Bode's orchestra to furnish the music for the occasion. Secretary Gableman is in communication with a speaker of national renown, whom the committee favors for the principal speaker of the evening.

Contractors Are Pleased

Local public works contractors were greatly pleased to learn of the result of the good road election in Greenup county, Ky., meaning as it will considerable work this summer. The chief improvement will be a road from Greenup to the Lewis county line.

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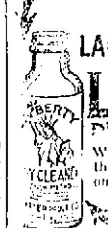

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BOARD OF TRADE FAVORS HIGHER PASSENGER RATE FOR OHIO RAILROADS

THE RESOLUTION

Be it resolved by the directors of the Board of Trade of the City of Portsmouth, Ohio, that we hereby endorse and recommend to the legislature of this state that legislation be passed to enable the railroads to charge a maximum passenger rate of 2½ cents per mile, and that the mileage books be continued as heretofore.

FRANK V. KNAUSS, Vice President.
ALBERT F. MARTING, Temporary Secretary.

After listening to frank and convincing statements made by representatives of various railroads operating in Ohio relative to what they insisted was an imperative increase to maintain their present high standard of efficiency in the passenger service, directors of the Board of Trade, at a meeting held in the Masonic Temple, Tuesday afternoon, without a dissenting vote, passed a resolution favoring a two and one-half cent passenger rate in Ohio instead of the two cent rate, which has been in effect since March 10, 1909. Inserted in the resolution, however, was a clause calling specifically for the retention of the old rate, so far as mileage books are concerned. They are not to be affected by the proposed increase. It was stated that only one percent of the passenger traffic last year used mileage books.

Armed with myriads of statistics to reinforce their statements, representatives of the Norfolk and Western, Baltimore and Ohio, Chesapeake and Ohio and the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton railway convinced the Board of Trade directors that the half a cent increase was absolutely needed to maintain their present passenger schedules and to continually improve the passenger service as the public demanded. The principal speakers were A. L. Ellett, general passenger agent of the Chesapeake and Ohio, W. G. Saunders, general passenger agent of the Norfolk and Western, and W. G. Brown, assistant passenger agent of the Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern and the C., H. & D. Railway.

Mr. Krauss Chairman

Frank V. Knauss acted as chairman of the meeting and Albert Marting, secretary. Upon a motion made by L. C. Turley and seconded by Mark Selby, a resolution which favored the proposed increase, but asked retention of the two-cent fare so far as mileage books are concerned, was unanimously passed by the directors, but not before the important matter was threshed out from all angles. Mr. Knauss, who keeps in close touch with mercantile and industrial affairs, quoted various writers of finance as to what was causing the present unsettled condition in a business way and he reviewed the situation clearly and comprehensively.

Remonstrance Is Read

Mr. Knauss read a remonstrance sent to the Board of Trade from the United Commercial Travelers, which organization is opposed to granting the two and a half cent increase. According to the officials of the U. C. T., there are 25,000 traveling men in Ohio, who will be affected by the proposed increase. It was stated that this organization is waging a strenuous fight against the enactment of any legislative action that would change the present maximum passenger rate of two cents.

Declaring that every 97 and 98 cents earned in the passenger service department the past few years has cost the N. & W. exactly $1, and that the increase in freight rates recently granted by the Inter-State Commerce Commission did not affect 70 percent of the commodities handled in the freight service of the N. & W., W. C. Saunders, general passenger agent of this railroad soon had the directors following his statements in a careful manner. "We must have relief from this burdensome situation, and the only way out of it is to get an increase in our passenger rate in Ohio," said Mr. Saunders, who is a splendid talker and had much interesting data at his finger tips. "Have you ever stopped to think that a railroad is the only business which has its selling price fixed by law? Well, it is true, and to keep up our splendid block system maintained at a heavy cost, to keep adding to our rolling stock in the way of Mallet engines, all steel coaches, dining-cars and Pullmans, our revenue must be increased. The public demands all sorts of safety appliances and we must provide them, even though the passenger returns do not warrant them.

Earning Capacity Is Reduced

"When the two-cent fare law became effective, our earning capacity in the passenger department was reduced 33 1-3 percent, notwithstanding that our expenses have increased 50 percent. In 1913, in the state of Ohio, the N. & W., in the way of taxes, paid $968 per mile and $571 for every mile along the system, so you can see how much higher the Ohio tax rate is than in other states in which we operate," said Mr. Saunders.

"You give us the increase we are asking for and the railroads will become prosperous again, and when the railroads prosperous, everybody will enjoy prosperity, as they give employment to those in need of work and increase the demand for lumber, steel and all kinds of commodities."

W. G. Brown, representing the B. & O. S.-W. and the C. H. & D., told the directors that one of the large railroads operating in Indiana, only two declared dividends in 1913 and one of these declared it from its surplus, he said. "The new block system just completed by the C. H. & D. has cost our company $1076 per mile and $7.02 per month in the way of maintainance. The Interstate Commerce Commission has gone on record as having said that a two and a half cent rate is fair, just and reasonable, and we believe that it will be returned in Ohio," declared Mr. Brown, who made a splendid impression with the directors. He said that the B. & O. received 69 cents for each passenger handled last year and the C., H. and D. 57.

Gave Lot Of Statistics

He was followed by A. L. Ellett, general passenger agent of the C. & O. He regaled the directors with a lot of interesting statistics and laid bare some of the inside workings of the C. & O. He dwelt at length upon the fact that West Virginia had a two-cent passenger rate and Virginia a two and a half cent rate and how the latter worked a hardship on his company. He stated that the C. & O. handled 65,000 more passengers in 1913 than in 1914, and still lost money.

At the conclusion of the out-of-town speakers, L. C. Turley, John McMillan, Albert Zoellner, Arthur Bode and Charley Daehler spoke briefly on the matter and expressed their willingness to favor the increase, believing that it will ultimately help business in a general way. Mr. Turley insisted on the present rate being retained for the traveling men who practically live on trains, and at his suggestion this was incorporated in the resolution.

Those present at the conference Tuesday afternoon included: A. L. Ellett, A. G. P. A., O. M. Spain, T. P. A., respectively of the C. & O., of Cincinnati; W. C. Saunders, G. P. A., J. L. Bladon, D. P. A., of the N. & W., of Roanoke; Thomas J. West, P. A., and W. G. Brown, A. G. P. A., of the B. & O. S.-W., of Cincinnati; and R. E. Scott, D. A. Grimes and G. W. Wharff, local agents, respectfully, of the N. & W., C. & O., and B. & O. S.-W.

The following directors of the Board of Trade were present: Frank V. Knauss, L. C. Turley, Mark Selby, Arthur Bode, F. M. Baggs, Albert Marting, Charley Daehler, Albert Zoellner and John McMillan.

The railway officials will leave Thursday for Piqua and Troy, where they will be received by the Boards of Trade of those cities. They are immensely pleased with the cordial reception tendered them here and left Portsmouth with only the best of feeling for the city and the Board of Trade. The committee will go to Lima on January 25.

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Such cases as the above are constantly coming to our attention. If people in this vicinity only realized how Vinol invigorates old people we would not be able to supply the demand.

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Frank Amann, druggist, Portsmouth, Ohio, and at leading drug stores everywhere.

Mains Are Leaking

William Gergens, director of public service, detailed a force of men Wednesday morning to locate and repair a couple of leaks in the water mains at the underground crossing near the new city pumping station. One of the mains is covered with four feet of concrete and it may be necessary to tear this up.

Deal By Lowry

Through a deal closed Tuesday evening Lew Lowry sold Glenn Rardin's 48-acre farm near West Union and a 60-foot lot on Young street to W. C. Bussa, a contracting carpenter, who expects to build a number of homes in Portsmouth this spring. He recently returned from Texas, where he lived for a few months.

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Webster Brick Co. Had A Good Year

Despite the fact that the firm suffered a heavy loss in a fire that practically wiped out their plant, the Webster Brick company of South Webster, rounded out a satisfactory year. This was shown in reports submitted Tuesday evening when the company held its annual election of officers. The new plant, which will be ready for operation in two weeks is modern throughout and is said to be one of the best equipped in Southern Ohio.

At Tuesday's meeting these directors were chosen: A. L. Fullerton, W. L. Hitchcock, H. M. Strong, Valentine Rice and W. J. Griver of this city.

The directors organized by electing the following officers: A. L. Fullerton, president; Harry M. Strong, general manager; Valentine Rice, vice president and W. H. Fullerton, treasurer.

Overdraw Your Account and Machine Quits Work

BOOKKEEPING MACHINE IS A REGULAR WIZARD

A committee from the board of directors of the First National bank consisting of Messrs. John E. Williams, Fred N. Tynes, and Edward T. Reed, met with Mr. Hoskot, representative of the Burroughs Adding Machine company, Tuesday evening, relative to the installation of a Burroughs Ledger Posting machine, one of the most recent inventions of the Burroughs company.

The many advantages to the bank and its customers were gone into thoroughly and it is understood that the committee will recommend the installation of the machine, which is now in use in the majority of the leading banks of the country.

With the use of this machine, the bank's books are kept more accurately, quickly, and neatly, than by the old hand method. In addition to keeping the books, these machines make monthly statements for all depositors. This statement shows all the checks and deposits of the customer for the month, together with the balance he has in the bank at the end of the month.

Under this system the customer's account is balanced monthly, without putting him to the trouble and inconvenience of bringing in his pass book. The machine prints and subtracts all checks; prints and adds all deposits; computes and prints the new balances and automatically detects and indicates any overdrafts.

It is the last word in bank accounting system equipment and is being rapidly installed in banks all over the country.

A large crowd witnessed the demonstration by Mr. Hoskot, including city and county officials, employees of banks and building and loan associations, and other interested spectators. All marveled at the work that can be accomplished by the machine. The demonstration was made in the directors' room at the First National bank.

At Penner's Store.

Gardner Sheets, a son of Harry Sheets, sheriff of Pickaway county and former police chief of Circleville, has taken a position at Penner's store. The young man is a grandson of Jos. Tatman, of Second street.

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Saw Cottages Burned To Make Miners Homeless; Coffin Used To Transport A Machine Gun

Fresh from the scenes of the miner troubles in Colorado, Harold Phillips has arrived back home, having received an honorable discharge from the United States Army and will form a partnership with his father, Dan Phillips, in the blacksmith business on Court street.

The Portsmouth young man was a member of Troop C, Eleventh cavalry regiment, and saw 54 days of hard service at Trinidad. The day of the troop's arrival there an Italian hoisted the Italian flag over his saloon to show his resentment of the coming of troops, but it was promptly hauled down.

A day or two later a wagon appeared on the streets loaded with what resembled a coffin rough-box. The commanding officer halted the wagon and demanded of the men in charge what the box contained. They said it was a corpse. They were commanded to open it, and instead of a body it was found to contain a machine gun consigned to the mine guards. It was promptly confiscated by the military officers.

"The worst thing I saw while out there," said Harold, "was the wanton burning down by mine guards of the mining shanties, rendering homeless hundreds of innocent women and children."

Harold says the miners are exclusively foreigners who are brought to Colorado under contract. They seem reconciled to their conditions for several months, then suddenly become aroused to the oppressive methods employed against them. Very little disorder has occurred there of late. He brought back quite a collection of interesting pictures taken in the strike zone.

Harold enjoys the distinction of having spent three years of service in the regular army without having had a single furlough. He is the proud possessor of a sharp shooters' medal. The sharpshooters draw extra pay. He was first stationed at Fort Oglethorpe, Georgia, and before going to Colorado his troop marched 575 miles to Virginia, losing 3 men and 6 horses on the trip.

Harold was greatly taken up with army life, and although he has decided to engage in business with his father, it would not be surprising were he to reenlist. He has been absent from Portsmouth for six years, having, before entering the army, worked three years in an automobile factory at Bowling Green, Ohio.

Lack A Quorum

Messrs. Schmank, Wilson and Westphal, the only three councilmen at present in the city, will meet tonight to take up the semi-annual appropriations and settle on figures so that the ordinances may be introduced when there is a quorum. The absentees are expecting to return January 29th, and it is hoped to have a meeting that night so that the city may meet its first of the month obligations promptly.

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Band Holds Rehearsal

Members of the First Christian band held another rehearsal Tuesday evening at the home of the leader, Charles M. Martin, of Twelfth street. The new organization is making rapid progress, according to the leader.

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At Junior Furnace

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The Year's Opportunity

YEARS are but artificial divisions of eternity. They might as well be counted from one date as from another. Yet each First of January we seem to take new courage. We seem to feel that the slate upon which have been recorded our deeds and misdeeds for the past twelve months has been wiped clean. Instinctively we seem to realize that a fresh chance for better work is before us, a record yet to be made, an opportunity that is all in front of us.

This year we make one resolution—to make the most of our opportunities. For us that will mean that we will strive to give bigger values, even bigger than they are now—if such thing is possible; that we will strive to be even more useful and practical to our customers; that we will set even a higher standard of business dealings and service.

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AIRMEN RAID SIX ENGLISH TOWNS

RETURN SAFELY TO BASE, 5 PERSONS KILLED BY BOMBS

London, Jan. 20---German airmen delivered their long predicted attack on England last night. From a base presumably in Germany they flew over the North Sea to the eastern coast of England where, for nearly four hours, from 8:20 p. m. until about midnight, they circled over a group of some six English towns only a little more than 100 miles from London, apparently dropping bombs at will.

So far as has been learned today four or five persons were killed by these missiles and about as many more were wounded.

Whether these airships were Zeppelin balloons or aeroplanes has not yet been definitely established.

Returned Safely After Attack

There is increasing belief in London this morning that possibly only aeroplanes took part in the attack. There has been no news so far today to confirm the report current last night that a Zeppelin had been brought down, on the English coast; on the contrary it now appears as though all the German raiders have returned whence they came.

The most important towns over which the German airmen appeared were Sandringham, Yarmouth, Sheeringham, Hunslanton, Cromer, Heacham, Dersingham and King's Lynn. King George had left Sandringham only a few hours before the raiders visited. Most of the damage appears to have been inflicted on private houses and shops; few public buildings or docks seem to have been injured.

The raiding airmen showed excellent ability to pilot their vessels as well as good marksmanship. In spite of the darkness of the night they seemed to find their way over the country with remarkable directness and the accuracy of their aim with bombs was greater than was generally believed possible.

Two Killed At Yarmouth

Yarmouth, January 20,—(Via London)—Careful inquiries thus far made regarding last night's aerial raid go to show that public buildings and the railways' escaped damage which is almost wholly confined to private houses and shops.

So far as is known, only two persons ,a man and a woman, were killed here. It so happened that most of the inhabitants were indoors when the raid occurred.

Fragments of metal, supposed to have been thrown by the bombs, are being found in all directions.

Towns People Take To Cellars

The whole thing was quickly over and fortunately no fires broke out in any part of the town. The first impulse of the townspeople was to rush out of doors but many, on finding that the alarm was an air attack by the Germans, quickly returned to their homes and took refuge in the basements.

Troops were turned out to assist the police in the search for wounded.

Another air craft appeared here soon after midnight but dropped no bombs.

The chief constable of Yarmouth, in telling of the raid, said:

"The people stood the raid very well. About four hundred special constables were called out and arrived with the utmost promptitude. All Red Cross and hospital arrangements proved perfect. All lights were extinguished and public performances at the theatres and music halls were abandoned. The people went home and the town was without light until morning."

Drop Bomb On Pier

The first air raider passed along the sea front and dropped the first bomb into Norfolk Square Garden, close by the beach and the Britannia Pier. This did no damage. The raider then proceeded in a southwesterly direction across town and when near the center dropped several bombs in the neighborhood of St. Peter's road, the main thoroughfare leading to the parade ground. It was here that the greatest damage was done, especially in the smashing of windows in houses and shops. The bombs, from all accounts, were dropped in rapid succession.

One bomb was dropped near the fish market, apparently with the intention of destroying any ships anchored in the vicinity.

Widow Of Soldier Is Victim

Kings Lynn, (Via London), Jan. 20.—The body of a woman, the widow of a soldier recently killed at the front, was recovered from her demolished home today. This makes the second death recorded here as a result of the aerial raid.

Fleet Passed Rapidly Over Towns

London, Jan. 20.—The approximate times of the visit of hos-

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SUFFERING OF VICTIMS INTENSIFIED BY WEATHER

HEAVY FALL OF SNOW IN QUAKE ZONE

Avezzano (via Rome) Jan. 20—The sufferings of the surviving victims in the earthquake district around Avezzano, particularly to the southeast of that place have been greatly aggravated by a sudden change in the weather, bitter cold and a heavy snowfall having succeeded the brightness and dryness of the previous days.

The snow, which began to fall early Tuesday afternoon, penetrated into the hastily constructed wooden huts which shelter all jon few of the many thousands of homeless, and added greatly to the discomfort that prevailed. Hundreds are compelled to spend the night in the open air. Fortunately the relief work appears to be well organized and more abundant so that practically all of the larger places that have been devastated are receiving attention.

Living Persons Still Being Dug Out From Ruins

Living persons are still being dug out of the ruins and it seems surprising that more vigorous efforts are not being made to extriate scores of others who are enduring the horrors of a lingering death.

Between Pescina, San Benedetto and Gioja-De-Marsi great cracks and depressions are visible in the roads and fields, probably due to the rich alluvial soil of that region which has made Gioja the wealthiest town in the district. This condition is also responsible for the fact that Gioja suffered more severely than any other place destroyed by the earthquake. Only about one-fifth of the population was saved, 700 persons out of 3,682. Two women were taken alive from the ruins there today. The destruction of all buildings in the town is even more complete than in Avezzano for only a single wall in the place is standing above the height of the first floor.

FEAR STRIKERS WILL MAKE EFFORT TO RELEASE ETTOR

St. Clairsville, O., Jan. 20—Reports that striking miners in the southern part of Belmont county were on their way to this place to release Joseph J. Ettor, Industrial Workers of the World leader arrested yesterday at Bellaire charged with treason, caused Sheriff Bulger to increase his force of deputy sheriffs and prepare otherwise to meet a possible attack.

Sheriff Bulger, however, was unable to confirm rumors that an effort would be made to release Ettor, his representatives in the coal strike district reporting that there was no indication of any organized attack on the county jail here. No date has been set for Ettor's hearing.

WOMEN RENDER FIRST AID TO WOUNDED IN THE TRENCHES

First aid nurses placing a wounded soldier on a stretcher.

The women nurse and volunteer workers have been found to be practically indispensable in alleviating the sufferings of the wounded and mitigating the evils of the battlefield. Braving death in the trenches from the bullets of the enemy, they are the real heroes of the war. The photograph shows some of these self-sacrificing women—first aid nurses of the British yeomanry corps—at work in the trenches placing a wounded soldier on a stretcher.

RIVER BILL PASSES HOUSE; $3,184,000 FOR OHIO WORK

Washington, Jan. 20—The rivers and harbors appropriation bill went to the senate today, following its passage by the house by an overwhelming vote. It will now be referred by the senate to its conference committee for report. A lively contest is promised when the bill is taken up for consideration in the senate.

The bill passed the house by a vote of 164 to 81, shortly after midnight last night, virtually as reported by the rivers and harbors committee. The house was in continuous session for more than twelve hours.

Several minor items were eliminated from the bill. As the bill went to the senate it carried appropriations of more than $34,000,000 for continuance of existing waterway projects, with provision for examinations and surveys in various places. No provision is made for new projects.

The larger allotments of the appropriations include, $7,387,000 for the Mississippi river and $3,184,000 for the Ohio.

Always on the job. Walters Plumbing Co. adv

DUTCH VESSEL GOES DOWN

The Hague, (via London) Jan. 20—The Dutch naval patrol boat Toilau, while searching for mines off Nieuw Sluis, struck a mine and disappeared under the waves. One officer and four men were lost and only fragments of their corpses were recovered.

A large number of fresh floating mines are reported from all coast towns.

Band Holds Rehearsal

Members of the First Christian band held another rehearsal Tuesday evening at the home of the leader, Charles M. Martin, of Twelfth street. The new organization is making rapid progress, according to the leader.

GRAFTON BANK IS SOLVENT

Grafton, W. Va., Jan. 20—Acting Banking Commissioner Weekly who is going over the accounts of the Grafton Bank, of this city, the doors of which were closed yesterday morning, stated last night that the bank was solvent and would pay out dollar for dollar. He said the bank would reopen in a short time.

Col. John T. McGraw, one of the principal stockholders, said that the condition of the money market had started a run on the institution and it was deemed to close it for the present. The bank has capital of $100,000 and deposits of approximately $500,000.

CONSIDER RURAL CREDITS

Washington, Jan. 20—Rural credits legislation was up for consideration at a meeting today of the senate banking and currency committee, with a view to reporting a bill as soon as possible.

AMERICAN BOAT CARRIES COTTON TO GERMAN PORT

London, Jan. 20—A Central News dispatch from Ymuiden, Holland, says that the American steamer Pathfinder, laden with cotton for Germany, has left that port for Bremen.

ROYAL RESIDENCE A TARGET FOR RAIDERS, SHOW SKILL IN WORK

King's Lynn, England, (Via London), Jan. 20.—The streets of Kings Lynn are this morning virtually paved with glass, and souvenir hunters have been picking up pieces of bombs.

An outstanding feature of the raid appears to have been the skill with which the German airmen, in the darkness, followed their route and dropped bombs in the vicinity of King George's house at Sandringham and Queen Mother Alexandra's bungalow at Sandringham, as well as at the docks, water works and railroad station here and at the Grimston ammunition depot.

According to the police raiders circled twice over Kings Lynn and dropped bombs in the neighborhood of the railroad station and the docks. Three missiles fell close to the station and wrecked the sheds in which the Royal railroad coaches were housed. One or more bombs were dropped along the water front among the docks, and damage was inflicted on the hydraulic engine house.

The dense darkness and the slight mist which prevented effective pursuit of, or successful shooting at the raiders, also hindered them in their efforts to reach some of their apparent objectives, and also to aim their bombs with the maximum of accuracy. Thus, the visit to Sandringham, which King George and Queen Mary left at 10 o'clock yesterday morning was not effective although some of the bombs were dropped in the vicinity of the Royal residence.

The casualty list at Kings Lynn, so far as is known this morning, is two persons killed and four injured. They all were in a group of houses on Bontinck street which was wrecked by one bomb. The police are still searching the ruins.

The casualtiys at Yarmouth are two killed and nine injured. There is still a difference of opinion here as to whether the German raiders came in Zeppelins or in aeroplanes.

French Town Feels Second Earth Shock

Montbellard, France, (Via Paris), Jan. 20.—A second earth shock occurred here at 11 o'clock last night. It was so severe that the inhabitants were shaken out of their beds and crockery was smashed.

Austria Orders Out All Men Up To 60

Geneva, (via Paris) Jan. 20—Dispatches from Budapest state that the governor of Cracow had ordered the partial evacuation from the city and suburbs of women, children and men unfit for military service. They have been given 48 hours to leave.

The Austrian war office has issued an order calling up all of the Landsturm men up to and including those aged sixty. The order applies throughout the Austrian empire.

EMERGENCY WORKSHOPS FOR NEW YORK'S JOBLESS

New York, Jan. 20—Emergency workshops for the unemployed, decided upon yesterday by the executive committee of the mayor's committee on unemployment are to be opened today in every training school of the Children's Aid society in this city.

Toledo Has Big Fire

Toledo, Jan. 20—The A. S. Hickok Dry Goods store, 209-11 Summit street, was destroyed by a fire which was discovered at 1:45 o'clock this morning and for a time threatened to sweep adjacent buildings.

The estimated loss is $125,000 on the stock and fixtures and $60,000 on the five-story building.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kinnamon, of Sciotoville, are the proud parents of a baby son, who arrived Tuesday morning. The happy "daddy" is a steel worker.

Hang Tangled In Barbed Wire Without Attention To Wounds

Paris, Jan. 20.—Since hostilities settled down to a siege along the rivers and canals of the north, the average number of casualties per day seems to have lessened. But the work of the ambulance department, is all the more hazardous. Men who fell in pitched battles were often lost in concealed places, but what is worse now is that they often lie in plain sight obliged to wait for hours, sometimes for days before it is possible for their comrades to pick them up. It is often too late.

When a man is wounded in the trenches he is able to get back to the field hospital, if he can walk; if not he must wait until night because the trenches are so narrow that the stretcher bearers cannot carry a wounded man through them; he must be lifted out and carried back above ground.

When a charge is made between the lines of trenches and proves to be unsuccessful, the wounded of course must be left; in too many cases they are actually sacrificed and their comrades obliged to see them lying helplessly between two fires. Sometimes they see them raise a hand and occasionally they hear their despairing cries, but to attempt to save them is out of the question.

Cases have been reported in which men charging against barbed-wire defenses and wounded in the attempt have been left for days hanging in the tangled wires.

LATEST IN SPORTDOM

GIANT KILLERS WINNERS, LIKEWISE IVORY KNOBS, REXALLS NOW IN CELLAR

STANDING OF THE TEAMS

Teams	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Giants	30	24	6	800
Ivory Knobs	30	21	9	700
Bald Eagles	27	15	11	556
Spiders	27	15	11	556
Cement Specials	30	14	16	467
Corn Shuckers	24	8	16	333
Clod Hoppers	24	7	17	292
Rexalls	30	8	22	223

Games Friday Evening

Spiders vs. Corn Shuckers, alleys 2 and 3.

Eagles vs. Clod Hoppers, alleys 4 and 5.

Bowling with the accuracy displayed by an old maid flinging a catsup bottle at a serenading tom cat on the top of a neighboring coal shed, those Cement Specials went tumbling to almost total eclipse at the hands of the glistening Giants at the Play House alleys, last night, the Special getting it in the neck three straight times, going to their respective homes with about as much alacrity as marks the movement of a bayoneted Englishman. Yes, and the same cruel treatment was accorded the Rexalls at the hands of the Ivory Knobs, who came through with three straight games, sending Wursters bunch to the bottom of the coal heap where all is dark and dismal and where such a thing as a ray of light is unknown to the human eye.

Despite the beatings administered to the Cement Specials and their companions in sorrow, Wurster's Rexalls, the fellowship displayed was of the proper brand. Everybody had a grand and glorious time, even Jim Hager, who got as much fun out of his lowly scores as though he had "busted" into the timber for three 200 scores. It may be wrong to associate Jim's name with 200, but the comparison is not at all odious to the popular druggist, who is in the game for fun and frolic and who gets both or knows the reason why. George Freund, his inseparable companion, had one terrific time gunning the pins last night, but he, too, found solace in the efforts he put forth, which were just as laborious and worthy as though he had copped a million pins. He was deadly in earnest, and Wade Kennedy, a chesty Spider, who sat on the softest bench he could find, applauded the efforts of Druggist Freund, although he probably chuckled inwardly at times, especially when he thought of how he was kidded about the scores he made a few nights ago and which have been given all sorts of publicity.

The Giants really won the three games when they copped No. 1. The Cement Specials shot their dumbest in the opening and when it was found their opponents emerged with pins to spare, a "what's der use" expression o'er spread the features of the Specials and they curled up like so many sun kissed caterpillars and displayed about as much agressiveness.

On the other hand, the Giants were out to retain first place and they rolled consistently, carefully and with oodles of confidence. No great scores were made, although they had the satisfaction of tabbing up the three high scores of the evening, which shows they are there in forty different ways from the pack. Every fellow did his share and went home satisfied with his showing.

Captain George Wurster and his brave men battled the Ivory Knobs on alleys 4 and 5, and while they were defeated, nevertheless they were not at all disgraced. The Knobs won every game, but they got through by the hair of their heads—and the good Lord knows there is not an abundance of that material on their domes. Had the Rexalls been as good as Pearl Cranston, they would have had two at least, for the milkman went about his business with uncanny percision and flopped those pins around for a great big average. Dr. Keyes was also good in spots as was Captain Wurster himself.

Captain Perry Winkler Young was the Beau Brummel of the Ivory Knobs. He got an awful start, then hitched up his belt and went like a scared elk, getting two big scores. Orville Sprague started out like a run-away express, and then somebody put sand on the tracks and the upheaval beat the Italian earthquake. Fred N. Tynes got into the second game with both feet and rammed into a cussed split that kept him out of the 200 class. The split he turned in in the last game will keep tongues wagging for a month. It was the personification of skill, superinduced with luck, but counted just the same. The scores:

Ross	123	155	160
Rickey	125	116	177
Daehler	157	152	151
Wilhelm	156	163	143
Blind	128	166	111
Sheridan	169	165	147
Totals	858	917	889
Horr	150	167	156
Spencer	195	154	161
Hager	82	104	115
Freund	99	106	93
Lloyd	165	123	125
Crevelling	150	131	123
Totals	844	782	763

IVORY KNOBS—			
Sprague	190	127	111
York	150	138	154
Clayton	...	126	158
Blind	130	...	...
Zollman	148	156	140
Tynes	...	187	120
Leach	122	...	...
Young	127	173	189
Totals	857	907	851
REXALLS—			
Cranston	170	165	131
Baker	112	120	115
Keyes	167	145	138
Schuyler	116	150	125
Hunlsberger	112	157	151
Wurster	165	136	157
Totals	851	825	826

DEAL WILL NOT JUMP

The report that Third Baseman Deal of the Braves will jump to the Feds has been strenuously denied in Boston. Deal says he will remain faithful to organized baseball.

To Have Team

The Lexington management says that it will have a team in the field this year even if the Colts have to go back to the Blue Grass league, which is slated for a revival this spring.

FATE OF ORGANIZED BALL IS INVOLVED IN BIG SUIT

Chicago, Jan. 20.—Forces of organized baseball, attacked by the Federal league as a combination operating in violation of the Sherman anti-trust law were ready to go before Judge Landis in the United States district court today to fight a motion for an injunction sought by the Federals.

Several hours were expected to be taken up in the presentation of arguments by attorneys for both sides. The length of the hearing is problematical. If Judge Landis decides to call on any of the forty-nine signers of affidavits as oral witnesses, the hearing, it is expected, will continue for several days.

None of the attorneys or executives of the three leagues was of the opinion, however, that oral witnesses would be called. All of these named in the charges have filed affidavits. Men identified with the American and National leagues filed thirty, while the Federal leaguers, in making their charges, presented them in nineteen sworn statements.

Briefly the facts in the suits are as follows:

The Federal league seeks to dissolve organized baseball, which operates under the so-called National agreement, as it is alleged it violates the anti-trust law. Organized baseball includes practically every league in the Nation, exclusive of the Federal organization.

The Federals also seek to enjoin the individual defendants from interfering with players now under contract to the Federal organization and also asks that all contracts with players made by the defendants and each of them under the national agreement be declared null, void and of no effect.

If the Federals are successful in the quest for a temporary injunction, steps will immediately be taken to obtain a permanent order. Should contracts be declared null and void, it would make "free agents" of all players except such as are now signed by equitable contracts.

The defense of organized baseball that it does not operate in violation of the anti-trust law will be based on Section 6 of the Clayton act recently passed by congress, it was reported today. The section which attorneys for the defense are expected to cite reads:

"That the labor of a human being is not a commodity or article of commerce." As the Federals bill alleges that organized baseball is a trust in "restraint of trade and commerce," the attorneys for the defendants will contend, it was said, that as organized baseball deals only in labor, it cannot violate the law.

Arguments for the defendants will be presented by George Wharton Pepper, of Philadelphia, counsel for the National league. He will be assisted by Samuel L. Clement of Philadelphia and several other attorneys engaged by the individual defendants. Keene Addington of Chicago and Edward Gates of Indianapolis with several assistants will be in charge of the case for the Federals.

Boy Scout League Basketball Records

BASKET BALL RECORDS
How They Stand

	W.	L.	Pct.
West End	4	0	1000
Covenanters	3	1	750
Tigers	2	2	500
Curtis Club	1	3	250
Crackshots	1	3	250
Bigelow	1	3	250

Field Goals

Player, Team	Goals
Grice, W. E.	18
Fortner, Cov.	18
Schrieck, W. E.	15
Carey, Bige.	9
Devoss, C. C. C.	8
Gins, Tigers	8
Wilson, Cov.	6
Kricker, Tigers	6
F. Dever, Cov	5
Graf, W. E.	5
Bromley, Crackshots	3
Eisenaugle, Crackshots	2
A. Doll, C. C. C.	2
S. Dillon, Bige	2
Fugitt, Crackshots	1
T. Williams, Tigers	2
Hamilton, Crackshots	1
Gehres, W. E.	1
W. Hopkins, Tigers	1
Breece, Bige	1
R. Williams, Crackshot	1
Thomas, Bige.	1

Foul Goals

Player, Team		Out of
Hamilton, Crack	2	2
Eisenaugle, Crack	2	3
A. Doll, C. C. C.	2	3
A. Yaple, Bigelow	3	6
F. Dever, Cov	1	2
Fortner, Cov	7	15
Bryant, C. C. C.	2	5
Grice, W. E.	2	7
Gins, Tigers	2	7
Kricker, Tigers	1	1
Devoss, C. C. C.	1	1
Graf, W. E.	2	10
Wilson, Cov	0	2
Carey, Bige	0	9
H. Doll, Crack	0	5

Fouls

Player, Teams	Fouls
Fugitt, Crackshots	12
Gins, Tigers	8
A. Doll, C. C. C.	8
Kricker, Tigers	8
Bryant, C. C. C.	6
Eisenaugle, Crackshots	6
S. Dillon, Bigelow	6
A. Yaple, Bigelow	5
Graf, W. E.	5
F. Dever, Cov	5
W. Hopkins, Tigers	5
Fortner, Cov	5
Breece, Bigelow	4
Davidson, Bigelow	4
Schrieck, W. E.	4
Talman, Crackshots	4
Gehres, W. E.	4
Carey, Bigelow	4
Hudson, Tigers	4
Bell, C. C. C.	3
T. Williams, Tigers	3
Hamilton, Crackshots	3
Selby, Tigers	2
Baggs, Tigers	2
Davis, Crackshots	2
Dunn, C. C. C.	1
George, Cov	1
Wilson, Cov	1
Parker, Crackshots	1
Lakeman, Bigelow	1
Virgin, Tigers	1
Grice, W. E.	1
D. Dillon, Bigelow	1
Mohl, Bigelow	1

Total Points

West End	81
Covenanters	60
Tigers	37
Bigelow	29
C. C. C.	24
Crackshots	21

Total Fouls

West End	10
Covenanters	12
Crackshots	21
Bigelow	27
C. C. C.	28
Tigers	35

LOCAL FIVE PRACTICING HARD

The Portsmouth High School basketball players are practicing every afternoon with more vim and vim than ever before. They declare that Friday night when they hook up with Wellston High School's basketball contingent that the performance at Ashland last week shall not repeat itself. "A victory by a large score" say the boys. Swisshelm and Brandle as forwards, Test at center and Jones and Wilson guards, have remedied the weak points revealed last Friday when a defeat was handed them. Friday night's battle will be the second game of the season and the boys are set on turning in nothing but victories from now on.

Following Friday night's game with Wellston the Red and Blue five will buckle down to hard work and tackle the Huntington High School quintet on Saturday evening. Two games in as many days will afford plenty of sport for the lovers of the game. It is up to the student body to turn out in great numbers. Tickets have been placed on sale and a number of them have been sold. Two-bits is the price of admission.

Big Fine For Rube

Now comes the story that if Rube Marquard returns to the Giants he is to draw a heavy fine to be slapped on him by McGraw. Poor Rube.

FATHER DEAD

Christopher Matthews, aged 64, for many years prominent resident of Newport, Ky., died Tuesday. He was the father of "Smoster" Matthews, who formerly wore a Portsmouth uniform, and is well known in local baseball circles.

MAY STOP FIGHT

An element of Cincinnati that is not opposed to seeing the little fellows battle but do not want any of the so-called white hopes to waddle around in a Queen City ring it is said will make an effort to stop the Flynn-Gunboat Smith fight scheduled to take place in Cincinnati February 1.

SPORTLETS

Marty O'Toole says he will win 20 games for Pittsburgh next season. They always do this time of the year.

McGraw says he will turn eight Giants loose in a few days. Wonder how many will land in Redland?

Johnny Dundee will be matched with Freddie Welsh and the fight is to be staged in New York.

There will be one swell fight over in Milwaukee Thursday night, when Mike Gibbons and Jimmy Clabby collide in the same ring.

Only three Yankees remain unsigned. Hurray!

Johnny Baggan has joined the athletics. With Johnny it is nothing to do until spring.

No delay when you call. Walters Plumbing Co. adv

John Lipker, of Lick Run, is suffering with heart trouble.

TO HAVE "ROGUES' GALLERY"

Police Chief W. T. McCarty has decided to greatly improve the Rogues' gallery at police headquarters.

The chief expects to fit up a number of files and wall hangers so as to better expose to view the numerous photographs and descriptions of escape criminals for whose capture rewards are offered. Heretofore these have been kept in piles and to find a certain picture required much time and effort. The chief has instructed the police to carefully look over every lodger and stranger believing that many a person wanted somewhere for some offense has escaped notice in the past.

Expect Two More Taxis

The Interstate Transfer company is expecting two more taxis next week. They will be electrically lighted and otherwise better equipped than the one now in service.

CAN SOLICIT FUNDS

Harry Strong, business agent, and other Central labor council officers, having passed upon the credentials of Elmer Gary and Lem Ostrander, Mayor Frick has given these two men a permit to solicit funds here for the striking coal miners and their families in Eastern Ohio.

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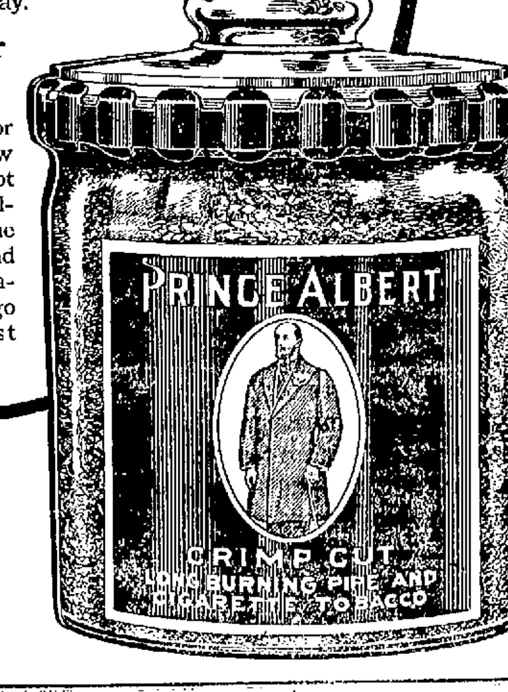
Time to replace that empty jar with a full one of P. A.

That humidor of tobacco you got for Xmas must be running mighty low just about now. If *you* haven't got a good supply of P. A. in the crystal-glass jar with the sponge in the cover that keeps it fresh and fragrant for pipe and cigarette-fit all the time, go to it and invest today.



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Why Tobacco Houses Closed

An Adams county merchant who was in the city Tuesday stated that the tobacco warehouses at Manchester had closed Monday owing to threats to burn them down if any more tobacco was purchased at the present prevailing prices. Similar action was expected at Maysville, Ky.

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No. 3 Daily, F. F. V.......1.35 p. m.
No. 7 Daily, Local........8.07 p. m.

EAST BOUND

No. 8 Daily, Local........11:13 a. m.
No. 2, Daily, to New York....2:52 p. m.
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ORDINANCE
Number 2088.

To issue bonds of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, for the purpose of providing funds for Sewer Construction purposes and for extending, enlarging, improving and repairing the Sewerage System of the City of Portsmouth, Ohio.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, as follows:—

Section 1. That it is deemed necessary by the Council of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, to issue and sell the bonds of said City in the sum of $10,000.00, for the purpose of providing funds for the payment of the City's Proportion of the cost and expense of Sewer Construction and for extending, enlarging, improving and repairing the Sewerage System of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio.

Section 2. That there shall be issued 20 coupon bonds of said City, designated "Sewer Construction Bonds—City's Proportion," numbered consecutively from 171 to 190, both inclusive of the denomination of $500.00 each in the aggregate amount of $10,000.00. Said bonds shall bear date of March, 1915, and shall become due and payable at the office of the City Treasurer of said City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, on March 1, 1925.

Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of five per cent. per annum payable semi-annually on the first day of September and March in each year, for which interest proper coupons shall be annexed and made a part of said bonds. And the faith and credit of said City of Portsmouth, are hereby pledged for the payment of the principal and interest of said bonds.

Section 3. Said bonds shall express upon their face the purpose for which they are issued; that they are issued in pursuance of this ordinance. They shall be prepared, issued and delivered under the direction of the Finance Committee of Council and the City Auditor and shall be signed by the Mayor of said City and the City Auditor and sealed with the corporate seal of said City. And the interest coupons annexed to said bonds shall be executed by the City Auditor with his signature thereto, or a printed facsimile thereof. Said bonds shall be offered by the Finance Committee of Council and the City Auditor and sold in the manner provided by law for not less than their par value and accrued interest to date of delivery.

Section 4. The proceeds from the sale of said bonds, except the premium and accrued interest thereon shall be placed in the City Treasury to the credit of the Sewer Construction Fund—City's Proportion and shall be disbursed upon proper vouchers for the purpose of paying the City's Proportion of the cost and expense of sewer construction purposes and for extending, enlarging, improving and repairing the Sewerage System of the City of Portsmouth, Ohio, and for no other purpose whatsoever. And the premium and accrued interest received from such sale shall be transferred to the Trustees of the Sinking Fund to be applied by them in the manner provided by law.

Section 5. That there shall be and hereby is levied and elected annually until the redemption of the above indebtedness upon taxable property in the City of Portsmouth a sum sufficient to pay the interest on the above described indebtedness, and to pay sufficient sinking fund charges to provide for the full payment of the said indebtedness at maturity, such levies and collections of taxes for municipal purposes.

Section 6. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

GEO. M. OSBORN,
President Pro Tem

Attest:
GEORGE L. GABLEMAN,
Clerk.

Passed January 6, 1915. 13-2Wed.

ORDINANCE
Number 2090.

To issue bonds for the purpose of providing funds for paying the City's share of the cost and expense of constructing a viaduct and for purchasing or condemning the necessary land therefor, beginning at a point near the intersection of Gallia and Young Streets, thence in a southerly direction over and across the tracks of Norfolk and Western Railway Company and The Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern Railroad Company, to a point in Eighth Street near Lawson's Run.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, two-thirds of all the members elected thereto concurring as follows:—

Section 1. That it is deemed necessary by the Council of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, to issue and sell the bonds of said City of Portsmouth, in the sum of $12,000.00, for the purpose of providing funds for paying the City's share of the cost and expense of constructing a viaduct and for purchasing or condemning the necessary land therefor, beginning at a point near the intersection of Gallia and Young Streets, thence in a southerly direction over and across the tracks of Norfolk and Western Railway Company and The Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern Railroad Company, to a point in Eighth Street near Lawson's Run.

Section 2. That there shall be issued 24 coupon bonds of said city designated "Lawson Run Viaduct Bonds," numbered consecutively from 1 to 24 both inclusive of the denomination of $500.00 each to the aggregate amount of $12,000.00. Said bonds shall bear date of March 1, 1915, and shall become due and payable at the office of the Treasurer of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, as follows: 12 bonds, $6000.00, August 1, 1915, 8 bonds, $4000.00, on the first of August of each succeeding year for nine (9) years.

Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of five per cent. per annum payable semi-annually on the first day of September and March in each year, for which interest proper coupons shall be annexed and made a part of said bonds. And the faith and credit of the said City of Portsmouth are hereby pledged for the payment of the principal and interest of said bonds.

Section 3. Said bonds shall express upon their face the purpose for which they are issued; that they are issued in pursuance of this ordinance. They shall be prepared, issued and delivered under the direction of the Finance Committee of Council and the City Auditor and shall be signed by the Mayor of said City and the City Auditor and sealed with the corporate seal of said City. And the interest coupons annexed to said bonds shall be executed by the City Auditor with his signature thereto or a printed facsimile thereof. Said bonds shall be offered by the Finance Committee of Council and the City Auditor and sold in the manner provided by law for not less than their par value and accrued interest, to date of delivery.

Section 4. That the proceeds from the sale of said bonds except the premium and accrued interest thereon shall be placed in the City Treasury to the credit of the Lawson's Run Viaduct Fund and shall be disbursed upon proper vouchers for the purpose of paying the city's share of the cost and expense of constructing a viaduct and for purchasing or condemning the necessary land therefor, beginning at a point near the intersection of Gallia and Young Streets thence in a southerly direction over and across the tracks of Norfolk and Western Railway Company and The Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern Railroad Company, to a point in Eighth Street near Lawson's Run and for no other purpose whatsoever; and the premium and accrued interest received from such sale shall be transferred to the Trustees of the Sinking Fund to be applied by them in the manner provided by law.

Section 5. That there shall be and hereby is levied and collected annually until the redemption of the above indebtedness upon the taxable property in the City of Portsmouth a sum sufficient to pay the interest on the above described indebtedness and to pay sufficient sinking fund charges to provide for the full payment of the said indebtedness at maturity, such levies and collections to be made at the times provided by law for the levy and collections of taxes for municipal purposes.

Section 6. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

GEO. M. OSBORN,
President Pro Tem.

Attest:
GEORGE L. GABLEMAN,
Clerk.

Passed, January 6, 1915. 13-2 Wed

ORDINANCE
Number 2089.

Declaring it necessary to construct a viaduct from a point near the intersection of Gallia and Young streets, thence in a southerly direction over and across the tracks of Norfolk and Western Railway Company and The Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern Railroad Company to a point in Eighth Street near Lawson's Run, approving plans, specifications and estimates, authorizing contract therefor and providing mode of action.

WHEREAS, There have been presented to the Council of the City of Portsmouth, Ohio, certain plans, specifications and estimates for the construction of a viaduct from a point near the intersection of Gallia and Young Streets, thence in a southerly direction over and across the tracks of Norfolk and Western Railway Company and The Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern Railroad Company to a point in Eighth Street near Lawson's Run, all as shown on Plans 517-A and Y-[illegible] now on file in the office of the Director of Public Service, and

WHEREAS, Norfolk and Western Railway Company and The Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern Railroad Company [illegible] the City of Portsmouth agreeing to pay 65 per cent. of the cost of constructing said viaduct complete, the cost of the land or property acquired therefor and the damages [illegible] to pay the remaining 35 per cent thereof, provided that in the event the City's share thereof exceeds $11,650.00 said Railroad Companies are to assume and pay such excess, the Railroad Companies to adjust their respective proportions of their percentage with each other, and providing that when completed the [illegible] work of the viaduct and abutments shall be maintained and kept in repair by the Railroad Companies and the surface of the viaduct and its approaches by the City.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, as follows:—

Section 1. That it is deemed necessary by the Council of the City of Portsmouth, Ohio, to construct a viaduct over and across the tracks of Norfolk and Western Railway Company and The Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern Railroad Company, as above described, and to purchase or condemn the necessary land and property for constructing said viaduct as shown on the plans hereinbefore referred to and the intention so to do is hereby declared.

Section 2. That the plans [illegible] and estimates for the construction of said viaduct now on file in the office of the Director of Public Service and designated thereon as 517-A and Y [illegible], be and the same are hereby approved.

Section 3. That bonds of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, shall be issued in the manner provided by law for the purpose of raising the money necessary to pay the proportion of the cost of said viaduct developing upon said City of Portsmouth in accordance with the above mentioned provisions.

Section 4. That said improvement shall be let at public contract as provided by law and the contract shall be by and between the City of Portsmouth and Norfolk and Western Railway Company and the contractor, said City of Portsmouth to be bound in said contract to the extent of 35 per cent of the construction and obligation thereof, but in no event to exceed together with the cost of the land and damages as hereinafter provided an obligation in excess of $11,650.00 and said Norfolk and Western Railway Company to be bound in said contract as to the balance of the construction and obligation thereof and the cost of said land and damages. The Director of Public Service be and he is hereby authorized and directed to enter into contract in accordance with law and in accordance with the plans, specifications and estimates heretofore approved and to the extent of the City's proportion thereof for the construction of said viaduct.

Section 5. The Director of Public Service be and he is hereby authorized and directed to acquire, in accordance with law, the necessary lands and property for the construction of said viaduct, the cost thereof to be borne in the following proportions: By the City, 35 per cent., by the Railroad Companies 65 per cent., but the City's share, however, of the entire cost of the viaduct, the land and the damages not to exceed $11,650.00.

Section 6. The cost of any and all damages to the abutting real estate shall be borne in the following proportions, to wit: 65 per cent. by said Railroad Companies and 35 per cent. by said City, provided, however, that the City's share of the viaduct, land and damages shall not exceed $11,650.00, the balance to be assumed and paid by the railroad companies. The said damages shall be determined and assessed after the completion of said viaduct.

Section 7. That the work of construction shall be under the supervision of the Director of Public Service.

Section 8. Said viaduct, when completed, shall be maintained and kept in repair by the Railroad Companies as to the frame work and abutments and by the city as to the surface of the viaduct and its approaches.

Section 9. That Norfolk and Western Railway Company and The Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern Railroad Company shall file with council their written acceptance of the provisions of this ordinance and their agreement to be bound thereby.

Section 10. That Resolution No. [illegible] adopted by the Council of said City of Portsmouth, April 17, 1912, and Ordinance No. 1792, passed by said Council August 7, 1912, be and the same are hereby repealed.

Section 11. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law and after the written acceptance of the provisions thereof by said Railroad Companies have been properly executed and filed with Council.

GEO. M. OSBORN,
President Pro Tem.

Attest:
GEORGE L. GABLEMAN,
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THE HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM.

Some months ago we commented adversely upon the policy of the Board of Education in refusing to allow the public the use of the High School auditorium for public meetings, and we have not changed our opinion in the slightest. We think that the board made a grave mistake in shutting the doors of the buildings erected by public money in the faces of the men and women who foot the bills.

The Board of Education should reconsider its attitude of unresponsiveness to public sentiment and adopt a more liberal attitude. It should endeavor to make the school a social center, instead of plastering it with "Keep off the Grass" and "Not Wanted Here" signs. The board can adopt such rules governing the use of the auditorium as seems best, and it can be assured that they will be lived up to by our people.

Our comment, however, applies only to week day gatherings, and then only to those of a public nature. We do not believe in opening our school auditoriums on Sunday's for any gatherings of any kind or character, unless it be in case of some extraordinary emergency.

THE PASSENGER RATE INCREASE.

Whatever may be our opinion of the merits of the attempt of the Ohio railroads to secure the enactment of legislation increasing the passenger rates from two to two and one-half cents, their plan of first taking the public into their confidence cannot be too highly commended. It shows the total reversal of methods formerly practiced by railway corporations. It used to be that such legislation as that now desired would be hurried through a legislature and the only intimation the public would get would be after the law was on the statute books. Then they could howl themselves hoarse and get laughed at for the howling. Nowadays the railroads and other corporations are following a more sane and sensible policy. They are going to the people who will be affected first and there they are presenting their cases, realizing that without popular approval the legislators will not dare to take action. The railroads, under these conditions, are more apt to submit only such matters as are of vital importance and for which they have substantial reasons.

In the proposed passenger increase in Ohio, we are frankly opposed to it unless mighty good reasons are advanced for the change. We believe in giving the railroads a fair deal and we are opposed to confiscatory legislation aimed at them. If the railroads can show that they cannot operate their passenger business in Ohio at the two cent rate at a profit, that, is a profit on legitimate capitalization, not watered capitalization, then unquestionably they should have the relief sought. None of us would want to run a business ourselves at a loss and we should not expect any one else to do so. But we want to be shown that it is a legitimate demand backed by legitimate figures and facts, and not merely an effort to sandbag the public by taking advantage of general conditions existing in the state and nation.

A LITTLE BIT OF KIPLING.

In one of the Kipling short stories there is a song, one verse of which reads this way:

"I've tested the luck o' the army,
In barrack an' camp an' clink,
An' I lost my tip through the bloomin' trip
Along o' the women an' drink:
I'm down at the heel o' my service
An' when I'm laid on the shelf
My very worst friend from beginning to end
By the blood of a mouse, was myself."

What a world of truth there is in the last two lines of the verse, and how it comes home to all of us as we look back over our lives. And how we can sympathize with Mulvaney, who, as Kipling tells us, stood leaning on his rifle on picket duty, the night dew gumming his mustache, lonely as Prometheus on his rock, with I know not what vultures tearing at his liver, softly humming to himself,

"My very wust frind from beginnin' to ind,
By the blood of a mouse wuz mesilf."

Missouri is true to her reputation. It took the governor 18 solid columns of words to show the legislature the needs of the hour.

"GRANDPA" WILSON

THE DOWNFALL OF TIPPERARY.

Six young bucks of Gallipolis were wending their way homewards last Saturday night and as they wended they sought to relieve the tedium of the wending by filling the midnight air with the air of tuneful "Tipperary." It was well sung, it was militantly sung, it was loudly sung, it was persistently sung. In fact "Tipperary" was never so lovingly sung as it was last Saturday night by six young bucks of Gallipolis.

But alas for "Tipperary". Its melody found no answering echo in the heart of a minion of the law who was peacefully holding up the rights of the sleepers to sleep, and mayhap was setting the example himself. He objected to this disturbing of repose. Like a whirlwind of wrath he descended upon the six young bucks and soon convinced them that while it may be "a long, long way to Tipperary", it was a short, short way to the police station. It was also a short, short time before the mayor of Gallipolis tore himself from dreamland and disposed of Tipperary with $4.40 assessments tacked onto each of its admirers.

While we grieve to think that Gallipolis has taken a step backward in things musical and artistic by compelling Tipperary to take the count, still it must be admitted there may have been provocation. Tipperary has been the most present song in years. It obtrudes itself upon every street corner, every concert, every home and every gathering. And the worst of it is that every man, regardless of standing in the musical world, considers himself licensed to attack and execute Tipperary upon the slightest provocation. Why the other night, when eleven other fellows were bravely tackling the "long, long, way" we ourselves, with a voice that has about as much music in it as a cross-cut saw, were sorely tempted and almost fell. Of course if the young bucks of Gallipolis were in our class as song birds we have nothing further to say. We can understand why the soundest sleeping policeman in the town was aroused to wrathful activity.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

(Chicago News)

Anyway, it's none of a man's business how old a woman is.

It's better to be up and doing than it is to be down and done.

All things may come to him who waits—except his missing hair.

A really handsome woman is one whose mirror backs up her vanity.

Many a man turns over a new leaf one day and turns it back the next.

Kisses that are not intoxicating may be the kind that drive men to drink.

But one doesn't need to be a botanist in order to recognize a blooming idiot.

The more a man gets the more he wants—unless a police judge is dealing it out.

WOULD PROSECUTE HER MUCH MARRIED PREACHER HUSBAND

Mrs. Ethel Spurgeon Darnell.

Mrs. Ethel Spurgeon Darnell, the first "wife" of Rev. James Morrison Darnell, the Kenosha, Wis., preacher who has admitted intimate relations with at least three different women, is aiding the state's attorney at Chicago who thinks of prosecuting Darnell under the Mann white slave act.

Some Consolation.

The people who never get to the top may console themselves with the thought that there are no fire escapes there, anyhow.

DOC KOKO'S COLUMN

The Duel

The gingham dog and the calico cat
Side by side on the table sat,
"Twas half past 12, and (what do you think!)
Nor one nor t'other had slept a wink!
The old Dutch clock and the Chinese plate
Appeared to know as sure as fate
There was going to be a terrible spat,
(I wasn't there; I simply state
What was told to me by the Chinese plate.)

The gingham dog went "Bow-wow-wow,"
And the calico cat replied, "Meow!"
The air was littered an hour or so
With bits of gingham and calico,
While the old Dutch clock in the chimney place
Up with its hands before its face,
For it always dreaded a family row!
(Now mind; I'm only telling you
What the old Dutch clock declares is true!)

The Chinese plate looked very blue,
And wailed, "Oh, dear, what shall we do?"
But the gingham dog and the calico cat
Wallowed this way and tumbled that,
Employing every tooth and claw
In the awfulest way you ever saw,
And, oh, how the gingham and calico flew
(Don't fancy I exaggerate—
I got my news from the Chinese plate.)

Next morning, where the two had sat,
They found no trace of dog or cat;
And some folks think unto this day
That burglars stole that pair away!
But the truth about the cat and pup,
Is this: They ate each other up!
Now what do you really think of that?
(The old Dutch clock, it told me so,
And that is how I come to know.)

Eugene Field.

Looks Awful Anyway

The man who neglects to shave feels awful, but he doesn't feel half as bad as he looks.

Huh?

Friend of clerk in department store—"Where is Miss B——?"

Suave floor-walker — "Next floor. You'll find her in pajamas."

Slang Singers

Of all the posts that throng the land
The worst we've ever seen
Is that poor wight who thinks it grand
To call his head a "bean."

Ever since reading about a lecturer whose topic was "Puncture-Proof People" we have been wondering if he referred to tightwads.

Bet He Doesn't Get Along as Fast as he did with Two Feet

Olen Carson is getting along nicely after cutting his foot nearly off.—Benton Courier.

The Poor Caterpiller

A caterpillar's eyes can see nothing at a distance beyond two-fifths of an inch, according to an exchange, which must make trying to cross the street in front of an automobile an extremely dangerous proceeding for young caterpillars.

The Power of Paint

Notes from the New York dog show include mention of a woman who won the love of a Boston terrier by smearing it all over with paint. Funny way to make up with a dog, isn't it. To make up with a man some women use paint but do the smearing on themselves.

A Quiet Wedding

A social editress who knows her business wrote about the "quiet wedding" of a couple of mutes in Columbus recently.

Fashion Note

"Dance Frock in Apple Green Pussy Willow Taffeta," says a fashion hint. Maybe the girls know what it means, but we doubt if men could ever learn that kind of language.

Wasted Energy

Our idea of wasted energy is applause in a moving picture theater.

Life Would Be Pleasant

If some men could only be as satisfied with others as they are with themselves then undoubtedly life would be very pleasant indeed.—East Liverpool Review.

"Many a family tree," says the Detroit Free Press, "has produced a nut." And then just consider the lemons!—Cleveland News.

And don't forget the Prunes.—Zanesville Signal.

Nor the suckers—Youngstown Telegram.

Or sour grapes.

"Grandma" Walter Ruggles of Lick Run is seriously ill with dropsy.

A child's cuteness or impudence depends on whether it belongs to you or to one of the neighbors.

The ascent of the ladder of fame may be difficult, but we never notice the splinters until we begin to slide down again.

In view of the fact that she has a couple of fairs on her hands and rather than permit sight-seers to turn toward Italy, possibly California may admit in an off-hand way that she occasionally throws a quake or two herself, says the Marion Star. Why insult the Californians that way. No true native or adopted son admits such a word to his vocabulary. They had a big fire, not a quake.

Animal Jingles
FOR LITTLE FOLKS
BY ALICE CREW GALL

J. AUGUSTUS RABBIT

(Who Told Fibs.)

Little J. Augustus Rabbit had a most distressing habit
Of telling things that were not true; he told them every day.
If he told you he was sickly you would make your mind up quickly
He was well, because you couldn't trust a single thing he'd say.

Now, his parents were distracted at the dreadful way he acted;
They were afraid when he grew up he'd meet some awful fate.
And they sounded night and mornings any number of grave warnings,
And begged of him to mend his ways before it was too late.

And they tried so hard to break him of this fault they'd even shake him
Every time they caught him telling anything that was not true.
And Augustus promised truly he would curb his tongue unruly,
But he still went right on fibbing in spite of all that they could do.

Finally once when he was hopping through the field and often stopping
To nibble at a root or at a tender blade of grass,
He heard a dreadful snapping and felt some iron a-trapping
His little paw; he tried to run, but could not move, alas!

Then he tried to call his mother, his sister or his brother.
He called: "I'm fastened in a trap; please come and let me out!"
Although they heard him plainly, he called and called them vainly.
They said: "That is another lie; we know what you're about."

And because that little rabbit had the dreadful fibbing habit
No one would pay attention when he pitifully called;
And if little Mary Linnet hadn't happened by that minute,
I reckon J. Augustus would have stayed there till he died.

If any little girl or boy who reads this sorry tale,
Has J. Augustus' fault I hope he'll cure it without fail.
For truth is just the pearl of pearls; I'm older and I know.
If you'd be happy, boys and girls, don't tell what is not so.

Canadian Militiamen Held For Killing

CORPORAL ARCHIE KAYO.

Bridgeport, Ont., Jan. 20—Provincial Constable Thomas W. Delaney, Corporal Archie Kayo, and Privates Kinsman and MacIntosh, of the 44th Canadian Infantry, facing charges of manslaughter growing out of the killing of Walter Smith, an American at Fort Smith on December 28, have been committed to the Welland County jail under heavy bail.

To Install Tonight

The Street Railway Employees' Union No. 455 will meet Wednesday night in regular session and install the following officers: President, Edgar Gore; vice-president, Andy Workman; secretary, Charles Luckett; financial secretary, Harry Dixon; warden, Ellsworth E. Hise; conductor, George Click; correspondent, John Skelton; executive board, Andy Workman, George Click, Fred Ashley, Fred Turner and George Smith. Members Gore, Click, Turner and Hise will represent the local in Central Labor Council. Oscar Forinash fills the office of business agent, the only salaried position of all the offices.

Everett Cottle, extra conductor, and son of Motorman Henry Cottle, one of the first employees to enter the service, will be taken in as a member of the local.

MISS WHITE HEARD FROM

Mr. and Mrs. Louis White, parents of Miss Margaret White, who left her home near Waits Station over seven weeks ago without informing her parents of her destination, have received a letter from her in Columbus. She is living at 33 East Main street and according to the letter sent her parents has a good job. Friends have received letters from her saying that she would like to come back but has decided to remain in Columbus.

Mrs. John Miller of Lick Run, was taken to the Mt. Carmel hospital in Columbus, Monday, to undergo an operation.

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POLLY AND HER PALS

PA MAKES A TWO BAGGER ON THIS, ALL RIGHT!

BOARD OF TRADE FAVORS HIGHER PASSENGER RATE FOR OHIO RAILROADS

THE RESOLUTION

Be it resolved by the directors of the Board of Trade of the City of Portsmouth, Ohio, that we hereby endorse and recommend to the legislature of this state that legislation be passed to enable the railroads to charge a maximum passenger rate of 2½ cents per mile, and that the mileage books be continued as heretofore.

FRANK V. KNAUSS, Vice President.
ALBERT F. MARTING, Temporary Secretary.

After listening to frank and convincing statements made by representatives of various railroads operating in Ohio relative to what they insisted was an imperative increase to maintain their present high standard of efficiency in the passenger service, directors of the Board of Trade, at a meeting held in the Masonic Temple, Tuesday afternoon, without a dissenting vote, passed a resolution favoring a two and one-half cent passenger rate in Ohio instead of the two cent rate, which has been in effect since March 10, 1906. Inserted in the resolution, however, was a clause calling specifically for the retention of the old rate, so far as mileage books are concerned. They are not to be affected by the proposed increase. It was stated that only one percent of the passenger traffic last year used mileage books.

Armed with myriads of statistics to reinforce their statements, representatives of the Norfolk and Western, Baltimore and Ohio, Chesapeake and Ohio and the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton railway convinced the Board of Trade directors that the half a cent increase was absolutely needed to maintain their present passenger schedules and to continually improve the passenger service as the public demanded. The principal speakers were A. L. Ellett, general passenger agent of the Chesapeake and Ohio, W. C. Saunders, general passenger agent of the Norfolk and Western, and W. G. Brown, assistant passenger agent of the Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern and the C., H. & D. Railway.

Frank V. Knauss acted as chairman of the meeting and Albert Marting, secretary. Upon a motion made by L. C. Turley and seconded by Mark Selby to pass a resolution favoring the proposed increase, but to retain the present two cent fare so far as mileage books are concerned, was unanimously passed by the directors, but not before the important matter was threshed out from all angles. Mr. Knauss, who keeps in close touch with mercantile and industrial affairs, quoted various writers of finance as to what was causing the present unsettled condition in a business way and he reviewed the situation clearly and comprehensively.

Mr. Knauss read a remonstrance sent to the Board of Trade from the United Commercial Travelers, which organization is opposed to granting the two and a half cent increase. According to the officials of the U. C. T., there are 25,000 traveling men in Ohio, who will be affected by the proposed increase. It was stated that this organization is waging a strenuous fight against the enactment of any legislative action that would change the present maximum passenger rate of two cents.

Declaring that every 97 and 98 cents earned in the passenger service department the past few years has cost the N. & W. exactly $1, and that the increase in freight rates recently granted by the Inter-State Commerce Commission did not affect 70 percent of the commodities handled in the freight service of the N. & W., W. C. Saunders, general passenger agent of this railroad soon had the directors following his statements in a careful manner. "We must have relief from this burdensome situation, and the only way out of it is to get an increase in our passenger rate in Ohio," said Mr. Saunders, who is a splendid talker and had much interesting data at his finger tips. "Have you ever stopped to think that a railroad is the only business which has its selling price fixed by law? Well, it is true, and to keep up our splendid block system maintained at a heavy cost, to keep adding to our rolling stock in the way of Mallet engines, all steel coaches, dining-cars and Pullmans, our revenue must be increased. The public demands all sorts of safety appliances and we must provide them, even though the passenger returns do not warrant them.

"When the two-cent fare law became effective, our earning capacity in the passenger department was reduced 33 1-3 percent, notwithstanding that our expenses have increased 50 percent. In 1913, in the state of Ohio, the N. & W., in the way of taxes, paid $968 per mile and $571 for every mile along the system, so you can see how much higher the Ohio tax rate is than in other states in which we operate," said Mr. Saunders.

"You give us the increase we are asking for and the railroads will become prosperous again, and with the railroads prosperous, everybody will enjoy prosperity, as they give employment to those in need of work and increase the demand for lumber, steel and all kinds of commodities."

W. G. Brown, representing the B. & O. S.-W. and the C. H. & D., told the directors that out of the 10 large railroads operating in Indiana, only two declared dividends in 1913 and one of these declared it from its surplus, he said. "The new block system just completed by the C. H. & D. has cost our company $1076 per mile and $5.03 per month in the way of maintainance. The Interstate Commerce Commission has gone on record as having said that a two and a half cent rate is fair, just and reasonable, and we believe that it will be returned in Ohio," declared Mr. Brown, who made a splendid impression with the directors. He said that the B. & O. received 88 cents for each passenger handled last year and the C., H. and D. 57.

He was followed by A. L. Ellett, general passenger agent of the C. & O. He regaled the directors with a lot of interesting statistics and laid bare some of the inside workings of the C. & O. He dwelt at length upon the fact that West Virginia had a two-cent passenger rate and Virginia a two and a half cent rate and how the latter worked a hardship on his company. He stated that the C. & O. handled 65,000 more passengers in 1913 than in 1914, and still lost money.

At the conclusion of the out-of-town speakers, L. C. Turley, John McMillan, Albert Zoellner, Arthur Bode and Charley Dachler spoke briefly on the matter and expressed their willingness to favor the increase, believing that it will ultimately help business in a general way. Mr. Turley insisted on the present rate being retained for the traveling men who practically live on trains, and at his suggestion this was incorporated in the resolution.

Those present at the conference Tuesday afternoon included: A. L. Ellett, A. G. P. A., O. M. Spain, T. P. A., respectively of the C. & O., of Cincinnati; W C. Saunders, G. P. A., J. L. Bladon, D. P. A., of the N. & W., of Roanoke; Thomas J. West, P. A., and W G Brown, A. G. P. A., of the B. & O. S.-W., of Cincinnati; and R. E. Scott, D. A. Grimes and G. W Wharff, local agents, respectfully, of the N & W., C. & O., and B. & O. S.-W.

The following directors of the Board of Trade were present: Frank V. Knauss, L. C. Turley, Mark Selby, Arthur Bode, F. M. Boggs, Albert Marting, Charley Dachler, Albert Zoellner and John McMillan.

The railway officials will leave Thursday for Piqua and Troy, where they will be received by the Boards of Trade of those cities. They are immensely pleased with the cordial reception tendered them here and left Portsmouth with only the best of feeling for the city and the Board of Trade. The committee will be in Lima on January 25.

JUDGE SETS GOOD EXAMPLE

Casting aside his judicial dignity Judge James S. Thomas seized a shovel and broom and cleared his sidewalk on Second street of snow bright and early Wednesday morning.

A GOOD SUGGESTION

City Engineer George S. Willehn suggests that the public provide suitable names for the eight or nine lanes that are to be laid out in the new addition to Greenlawn cemetery which he is now platting. An appropriate name, he says, should also be given for the circle of the new addition which is similar to the soldiers' circle in the old part of the cemetery

Woman's Prompt Action Prevents Destruction

FIRST FIRE OF YEAR 1915 IS INCENDIARY

Portsmouth's first 1915 fire proved to be a small blaze, thought to have been of incendiary origin, which did slight damage to the interior of the barn in the rear of J. J. Brashart's residence at 423 Waller street, about midnight Tuesday night. It was the first fire alarm turned in to the department in twenty-four days.

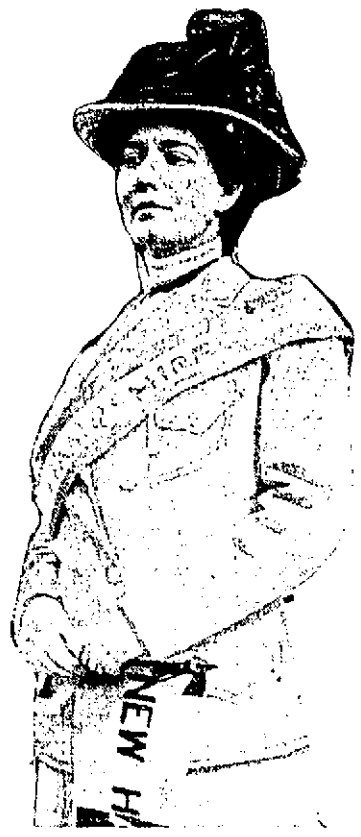
Mrs. Ed Hammond, who occupies the second floor of the barn, claims that she heard some one open the door of the barn about 11:30. Shortly after that she says she smelled smoke and went below to investigate. There she found a pile of straw burning briskly, which she partially extinguished by throwing water on the flames. Firemen from the East End company completed the task with chemicals. The damage was very slight.

Footprints in the fresh snow were traced from the door of the barn to the corner of Second and Sinton, where the trail was lost with that of other footsteps. Firemen are of the opinion that the footprints were those of the man whom Mrs. Hammond heard at the door. A more thorough investigation will follow, as Chief McOmat has reported the matter to the state fire marshal's office.

The Seventh street and East End companies made the run and considerable difficulty was experienced in locating the blaze. The East End company was about to leave, with the belief that the alarm was a false one, when they were directed to the barn by neighbors.

Insure with Marvin C. Clark, First National Bank building.

ASK PRESIDENT TO AID FIGHT FOR SUFFRAGE



MRS. WINSTON CHURCHILL.

Washington, Jan. 20.—Dr. Anna Howard Shaw, president of the National American Woman Suffrage association, Mrs. Medill McCormick, chairman of the Congressional Committee, and Mrs. Winston Churchill, wife of the noted American novelist, who represents New Hampshire in the National Council, called on President Wilson at the White House recently and extended to him an invitation to accelerate the votes-for-women campaign in New Jersey. The president showed interest in the arguments of the women but said he was in no position to respond to the movement.

GRASS WIDOWERS CLUB

George Sachs reports that the newly formed Grass Widowers' club in the West End is progressing nicely. The club already boasts of a healthy membership.

TA! TA! SPARROW! MAYOR'S CRUSADE PROMISES TO BE A SURE THING

Mayor Frick is still in correspondence with John Davey, of Kent, O., relative to his crusade against the English sparrow and the restoration of the wren and other native birds. Mr. Davey has suggested that the mayor take up the matter with the city council and civic organizations as early as possible as now is the best time to make a "clean-up" while the sparrows are on the streets.

To Charge 25 Cents For Klein Lecture

Twenty-five cents was decided upon as the admission for the Nicholas Klein lectures at Trinity church on the afternoon and evening of February 2, at a meeting of the committee in charge Tuesday. Tickets will be printed at once, and placed on sale at various places about town.

In return for their generosity in tendering free use of the church auditorium for the lectures, the committee will consult the trustees of the church regarding the best means of distributing the proceeds of the lectures among the families of the unemployed in this city.

THE COQUETTE'S DOWNFALL

Drawn by Eva Shepherd.

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She was a little cocktail person, with a cherry heart so they said, a bubbly, sparkly, little amber-hued intoxicant with spun gold hair and a tropical temper, and a way with her that tipped men's balance to make a sorry sight of their conceit.

She lifted them high in rosy dreams, floated them off on pink clouds into a fool's paradise, and then dropped them to earth on a dreary day to splatter their happiness on the cobblestones of reality.

Then a magical something happened and it was different. She found herself a beggar at the gate of a man's dream castle and the drawbridge up. A new little song supplanted her siren call, a reckless, shameless, little love plea, but he would not believe. She was the heartless one whom folks called coquette.

Men, maids and mothers preened their self-righteous feathers and triumphed because a bubbly little girl, born to be loved and cuddled and petted, had been humbled and shackled to unhappiness.

JEWELL IS MARRIED

Will Jewell, a popular N. & W. freight engineer of the Kenova district, stole a march upon his friends some days ago by slipping up to Echo, W. Va., and getting married. The bride was Miss Hannah Wilson, daughter of a prominent farmer of that place. They have gone to housekeeping in a nicely furnished home on Linden avenue.

BLACKSMITH SHOP OPENS

E. D. Kelley and W. M. Halbert have opened a first-class horse-shoeing shop at the old Bender stand, 426 Third street. Both Messrs. Kelley and Halbert are experienced horse-shoers and have taken possession of the well-equipped shop formerly conducted by Henry Hohenstein. Mr. Kelley, one of the members of the firm, has for many years been a horse-shoer here, formerly conducting a shop on Gay street. They are ready to meet their old friends and many new ones at their new stand.

Children and Cattle.

It is peculiar that a man who owns a bunch of cattle will go out to look at them every few days, but not once during the whole year will you catch him at the schoolhouse where his children are getting their education.—Kansas Phoenix.

WANTS BILL BOARD MOVED

Mayor Frick asked the Portsmouth Bill Posting company to remove its bill board at Seventh and Adams streets. The mayor says he fully realizes he has not the power to order it abandoned, nor would he want to assume such, but that residents of that vicinity complain that the board is not only unsightly but affords a hiding place for immoral characters.

CORNELIUS MOLSTER IS CALLED BY GRIM REAPER

Cornelius Molster, aged 73 years, a retired stationary engineer, and one of the best known citizens of Portsmouth, died at the home of his son, Harry H. Molster, of No. 1123 Eighth street, Wednesday morning, at 1:30.

Mr. Molster had been suffering with cirrhosis of the liver for the past five years, but had been bedfast only one week. He was born and reared in Portsmouth, the son of Martin Molster, a pioneer settler of Portsmouth and a skilled ironworker of the early days of the rolling mill industry of this city, and who was at different times fire chief and street commissioner of Portsmouth.

Mr. Molster followed the river for a number of years as a marine engineer, spent eleven years in the Seventh street fire department and sixteen years in the city water works as an engineer. His wife died eight years ago.

German Airmen Raid Six Towns

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tile airships to the several towns in Norfolk are as follows:

Yarmouth, 8:20 p. m.; Cromer, 8:30; Sheringham, 8:40; Hunslanton, 10; Heacham, 10:30; Dersingham, 10:40, and Kings Lynn, 11 o'clock.

Passed To Northward Over Sea

Hunslanton, (Via London). Jan. 20.—The police deny the report that one of the raiding Zeppelins was brought down here. The last seen of the airship which dropped bombs on this place was as she was passing away to the northward over the sea.

Explosion Heard For Five Miles

Dersingham, Norfolk, (Via London), Jan. 20.—An airship passed over Hunslanton, a few miles north of Sandringham, about 10 o'clock last night and followed the Great Eastern Railway tracks by way of Heacham, a village on the Wash, where a bomb was dropped. It fell several hundred yardsfrom some cottages but beyond tearing up the ground it did no damage. The loud explosion alarmed the whole district as the report was heard for a distance of five miles.

Following this visit the airship went to Snettisham and then passed directly over Sandringham towards Kings Lynn.

The people of Heacham had a fairly clear view of the airship and describe it as a large balloon, sausage shaped and pointed at each end.

GOOD ROADS WIN IN GREENUP CO.

With only one precinct to hear from Greenup county went on record Tuesday as heartily favoring the proposition to issue $200,000 worth of bonds to improve the county roads in Greenup county.

Greenup, Russell, South Portsmouth and Fullerton rolled up big majorities for the bond issue which will carry by a majority of more than 1,800, which exceeds the most sanguine expectations of the promoters of the road building campaign, which is to result in Greenup county getting better roads.

With one precinct out the vote polled was 2199 for better roads and 367 against the bond issue, the majority being 1832.

There was much rejoicing in all parts of the county over the successful termination of the speaking campaign, which had been carried on for five weeks.

Here is the vote of all the precincts but one, Big White Oak, which has not been sent in:

	Yes	No
Smith Branch	91	17
Old Town	96	11
Honeywell	65	11
South Portsmouth	137	5
Leatherwood	181	26
Alleorn	96	62
Pennsylvania	91	39
Wurtland	109	56
Limeville	148	9
Russell	483	8
Greenup	235	37
Fullerton	282	8
Schultz	185	35
	2199	367

Great credit is due County Judge L. E. Nickell for his untiring efforts in bring about the election and convincing the people that it was to their best interest to vote for good roads.

THREE JOIN UNION

At the meeting of the Retail Clerks' Union, held Tuesday night, the applications of three clerks, Miss Ida Knost, Miss Ida P. Warman and Miss Mary Virgin, were received. According to reports submitted at the meeting, the union is in splendid shape.

WILL GIVE DANCE

The Decorators and Paper-Hangers' Union will give a dance on Tuesday, February 2, and the committee on arrangements includes Messrs. Martin, Rudy, Long, Brown and Grlee. Tickets are already on sale.